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PERILS OF THE DEEP.

Thrilling Experience of a Ship-Wrecked Party.

Fire Breaks Out in the Hold of the Parthia and the Crew Abandon the Vessel.

PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., Feb. 3.—The ship, Louis Wlash, from Callao, brought two of the crew, Steward Chase and Cook Mitchell, from the ship, Parthia, which was burned at sea several weeks ago, 300 miles southwest of Juan Fernandez island. The Parthia was coal laden from Liverpool to San Francisco. The first intimation that the ship was afire was when a dense volume of smoke burst through the main hatch. Knowing the coal was full of gas and apprehensive lest an explosion should occur, three boats in charge of Captain Carter and his first and second mate respectively were launched and well provisioned. The same afternoon, when the boats were three miles distant, the ship blew up and sank. Spontaneous combustion was the origin of the fire. Four days the three boats remained together, when a storm came on and the second mate's boat was lost sight of. The water filled the boats and all the crew could do was to keep them baled out. Then it was necessary to throw overboard all the men's clothes and nearly all the provisions. The captain and first officer's boats reached Juan Fernandez Island and from there they were taken to Valparaiso by a Chilian man of war.

The second mate's boat had a severe time and was sixteen days reaching Valparaiso. For six days they were without water and food. David Jones, an American actor, who was a passenger, became insane and was tied down for two days, when he died and was buried at sea. The other occupants almost despaired of reaching shore and were considering the advisability of resorting to extreme measures, when a wind sprung up and quickly carried their boat to Valparaiso, where the crew was taken ashore unconscious and nearly dead.

LANDMARK GONE.

Unitarian Church on Meeting House Hill Burned.

The Historic Structure Completely Demolished—Four Brave Firemen Severely Injured.

BOSTON, Feb. 3.—The historic First Unitarian church on "Meeting House Hill," Dorchester, a familiar landmark and the oldest church in the district, was destroyed by fire today. The loss is estimated at $30,000, but this amount is covered by insurance. The most valuable appurtenances of the church, which were kept in the vestry at the rear, were saved. A new organ, presented to the church by Deacon Henry Humphrey in 1892, which was directly above the place where the fire started and the clock and chime of bells in the tower, were a total loss. Four firemen were injured by a falling wall on the east side which completely enveloped them but they were rescued by their comrades. The injured are:

Captain Blanchard, severely burned and internal injuries.

Fireman Hoyt, wrist broken and burned.

Samuel Ridler, burned about head and internal injuries.

John Gavin, bad scalp wound.

WOMEN AS COLLECTORS.

Merchants Give Their Bad Bills to Missionary Societies.

AKRON, Ohio, Feb. 3.—A novel plan of collecting bad debts and getting some satisfaction from dead beats has been agreed upon by the merchants of Cuyahoga Falls. Each has agreed to present to the women's missionary societies all old bills which are regarded as worthless. The women will make an attempt to realize on the accounts, and are sanguine of getting a nice sum of money out of them. Instead of collectors, prominent women will wait on the slow pay people and by appealing to their better natures hope to make them pay.

COIT FOUND NOT GUILTY.

Jury Exonerated Militia Commander After Being Out Three Days.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Feb. 3.—The jury in the Coit case at Circleville returned a verdict of not guilty. The jury was out three days. Col. A. B. Coit was indicted for manslaughter by the grand jury of Fayette county. He commanded the militia which fired into the mob at Washington Court House in October, 1894. The trial was begun before the holidays. The verdict is of vital interest to the national guard of the state.

ON THE RAMPAGE.

The Brazos River Plays Havoc With Shipping Interests.

FORT WORTH, Texas, Feb. 3.—The Brazos river is still rising at Columbia. It rose fifteen feet in twenty hours and its current is equal to that of a mountain stream. Seven vessels belonging to the Columbia Transportation company were swept away. The river is now out of its banks and is sweeping over the surrounding country. Near Navasota the Brazos and Navasota rivers have united and are twelve miles wide. Two miles of the Santa Fe railroad track is submerged.

LUMBER TRADE BOOMING.

China Sends Agents Here to Buy Our Saw Mill Products.

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 3.—An agent of the Chinese government has come to the coast to place and order for about 50,000,000 feet of lumber. Most of it is intended for the construction and repair of government buildings. The agent says indications are good for a healthy revival of the lumber trade throughout China and Japan this and next year.

FREE SILVER OR BONDS.

The House Refers the Free Coinage Substitute

Bill to the Ways and Means Committee—Will Be Reported Back Tomorrow.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—The senate free coinage substitute for the house bond bill was referred to the ways and means committee as soon as it reached the house today. Under the rules a motion to concur could not be made. It will be reported back tomorrow or Wednesday with the recommendation that the house non-concur and insist upon its bill. Mr. Singley, chairman of the ways and means committee, says that "reasonable time" for debate will be allowed. The silver men are asking for two days in which to discuss the bill. The fate of the substitute is so well assured that the house program excites almost no interest except for the fact that it will furnish the first direct test of the free silver vote at from 100 to 125, the latter figure being the limit prophecied by the most sanguine silver democrats. Mr. Hartman, of Montana, predicts that the republican vote for the silver substitute will be thirty-five or forty, and Mr. Bailley, of Texas, says that about 70 of the 105 democrats in the house can be relied upon to support any free silver proposition. These estimates are based on the supposition of a full attendance which may not materialize, for there are many absentees this week. There are several southern republicans, new members, who are an uncertain factor upon the financial question. Silver men are preparing speeches upon the financial question and are anxious for a much longer debate than the opponents of free coinage.

BOYCOTT MOVE.

The Goods in Question are Bicycle Supplies.

The International Polishers Ask the American Federation of Labor to Take the Matter Up.

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb 3.—William Cowell, of Toledo, Ohio, secretary of the International Polishers, is in consultation today with the executive council of the American Federation of Labor, asking for endorsement of the action of the polishers in declaring the Overman goods, manufactured at Chicopee Falls, Mass., to be "unfair," as that factory employs non-union help. The executive committee has agreed to so declare and information to this effect will be sent to the association of the federation. The goods in question are bicycles and bicycle supplies.

THROUGH THE HEART.

Stephen B. French Takes His Own Life.

Worries Over Business Matters Until His Mind Becomes Deranged and He Shoots Himself.

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—Former Police Commissioner Stephen B. French, committed suicide to day by shooting himself through the heart. For some time Mr. French has been moody and despondent, and recently told his wife that he was worried over business matters. At another time he said to Mrs. French, "You would be better off if I were not here." His friends have observed that both in appearance and in conversation Mr. French was not quite himself. So far as is known there was no adequate cause for his suicide.

BERLINER PATENT.

Its Validity up for a Hearing in the Supreme Court.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—In the United States supreme court today the solicitor general moved to advance the hearing of the telephone case involving the validity of the Berliner patent to an early day in the next term. It was important, he said, to secure an early disposition of the case, saying that the Bell telephone receiver having become public property, the Berliner and Edison patents are the only obstacles in the way of the free use of the the microphone transmitter in practical form, and that with these patents out of the way the telephone would become so much cheaper that its use would be widely extended.

As if catarrh is not bad enough by itself. Those who suffer from it are often tormented by a cough, due to irritation of the throat by the catarrhal discharges from the nasal passages. The torment ceases after a few doses of Ely's Pineola Balsam, which cures with nature's own remedies, the gums and balsams. It is healing to raw, tender throats. Asthmatic patients find that it makes their breathing much easie and their spasms less severe. To free yourself of catarrh use Ely's Cream Balm.

Arthur, the five-years old son of Mr. and Mrs Harry McMullen, is recovering from a serious illness. He was sick several days and then the malady developed into nose bleed. This continued for three days, but yesterday the little fellow showed signs of improvement and now he is getting along nicely.

MAMMOTH TRUST

Which Controls the Lumber Interests of the Pacific Coast.

It Will Regulate the Products of the Mills and Also Lumber Shipped to Foreign Ports.

PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., Feb. 3.—The biggest trust ever formed on the Pacific coast, and representing a capital of over $70,000,000 has been consummated and went into effect last night. It is the Central Lumber company of California and its membership includes every lumber mill, all ship owners, wholesale and retail dealers of the western coast of the United States and British Columbia. All charters of vessels and sales of lumber must be effected through the Central Lumber company, which regulates freight and puts the buying and selling price on all lumber, regulating also the product of each mill and the proportionate amount of lumber each vessel shall carry during the year. Not only are the markets of the Pacific coast thus controlled, but the lumber shipments to foreign countries are placed under the same restrictions. Every mill on the coast has its product regulated. In Puget Sound the daily output is 1,400,000 feet, in the same proportion every other lumber mill on the coast is regulated, but the regulations do not apply to shipments by rail to eastern points. The first order issued by the company was to advance the price of lumber $2 per thousand. Last year the estimated product of the coast was 600,000,000 feet, and the advance will enhance the profits of the mill owners the coming year over $1,000,000. The deal was made to include manufacturers dealers and freight carriers. Members of the trust claim they have been manufacturing lumber for several years at actual cost, and that the dealers in foreign and coast wise markets were reaping all the profits. Under the new prices, they say, the employes will be paid better wages and the timber men receive higher profits for their logs. Although capitalized at $10 000,000, no other corporation on the Pacific coast controls such vast interests. More than 150 ocean sailing vessels come under their control.

GRAVE ROBBERS

Frightened Away Before Accomplishing Their Purpose.

The Coffin Lid Was Broken and the Body Had Been Pulled Half Way Out.

MORRISTOWN, IND., February 3.—Mrs. Elizabeth Dennis died last Tuesday of paralysis and was buried in the Shiloh cemetery, four miles north of here. Yesterday persons passing noticed that the grave had been disturbed. Investigation showed that a hole had been dug as far as the box covering the coffin and this and the glass door of the inner casket were broken with a heavy scantling. Then the grave-robbers attempted to pull the remains out at the opening, but were evidently frightened away before accomplishing their purpose. The right arm, shoulder and the head were found protruding from the opening.

A PRACTICAL JOKE

Turns Out to be a Serious Matter for a Young Man.

A young man named Mason was painfully injured Saturday evening by the explosion of a gun like contrivance with which some fellows were playing jokes on some others. The thing was loaded with powder, and when one of the jokers struck another person with the "paddle" end of it the powder would explode like a shotgun. Mason received the powder and gun wads in his leg. The accident happened on East Colnmbia street. Mason was taken to his rooms at the residence of Victor A. Hugerard, No. 61 East Superior street, where Dr. Maurice Rosenthal attended him.

THE WORKING GIRLS.

Program of Their Entertainment at A. O. U. W. Hall This Evening.

Following is a program of the entertainment and hop to be given this evening in A. O. U. W. hall, on the corner of Calhoun and Superior streets, by the Working Girls' union:

Instrumental	Miss Louisa Kagnet
Address	Mrs. J. M. Robinson
Recitation	Miss Ada Schuler
Song, by request	Mrs. J. Lindsey
Recitation	Miss Myrtle McVay
Guitar Solo	Miss Ada Miller
Recitation	Miss Nellie Brown
Song	Miss Laura Regent
Dialogue	By Eleven Union Girls
Tableau	

Mr. I. H. Case, of the Kimball Piano company, has kindly donated the use of a piano for the social.

MYRIADS OF GHOSTS.

Undertook to Investigate the Secret of a Haunted House.

PERU, Feb. 3.—The report which has been current for some days to the effect that a house in this city was haunted was investigated by a party of people, who report all kinds of strange noises and tapping which were very mysterious and could not be accounted for and that the grand finale came by a grand scare by the whole army of ghosts, which so frightened the crowd that they rushed from the house, and, it is claimed, some of them are still going, but the ghost still holds forth waiting new victims

Advance Prices.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Feb. 3.—The Wire Nail Manufacturers' association has addressed a circular letter to jobbing trade, giving notice of another advance in prices of fifteen cents per hundred weight. This will change the base rate from $2.25 to $2.40 per hundred weight, which is the highest price asked for wire nails in many years. Only a year or so ago the base price was eighty-five cents.

SPANISH CRUELTY.

Are as Barbarous as the Kurds in Armenia.

Killed Defenseless Women in the Streets and Shot Prisoners in Cold Blood.

KEY WEST, Fla., Feb. 3.—Sometime ago, when the insurgents entered Sabanilli, the Spanish officials report states that they were driven out by the garrison and that "unfortunately three women were killed by stray bullets." The truth of what happened there has just been learned and it shows the Spaniards are acting in as barbarous manner as the Kurds in Armenia.

Sabanilli, which is an important town in Matanzas province, was entered by 400 insurgents under Garcia. The Spanish regulars retreated to the barracks and made no resistance. The Spanish volunteers, however, retreated to the church and fired on the insurgents. The insurgents returned the fire, killing five volunteers. The volunteers then ceased firing.

The inhabitants received the insurgents joyfully and many poor people who had eaten nothing but cane were fed by Garcia, who made the merchants open their stores, and told the people to take food. Thirty stores were looted of provisions, and one storekeeper was shot for resisting. The insurgents then retired.

As soon as they were gone the Spanish volunteers came out of the church and opened fire on the people in the streets. Forty-six were killed, thirty of whom were women and children, their only offense being the reception of the insurgents and taking food to save themselves from starvation. After shooting these people the volunteers took ten Cubans who had surrendered, on promise of amnesty, and shot them in cold blood.

Two thousand men, women and children have reached Matanzas from Sabanilli. They fled, fearing further massacres by the Spanish volunteers.

These are facts vouched for by Mayor Juan Galvez, of Sabanilli, who is in Havana to ask General Marin to punish the volunteers.

NO EXTRA SESSION.

Gov. Matthews Not to Take Steps for a New Apportionment.

Believes That the Eligibility of the Holdover Senators Should Not Be Questioned.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Feb. 3.—The probability of an extra session of the legislature to settle the complications growing out of the recent decision of the supreme court on the apportionment act was peremptorily settled today by Governor Matthews, who authorizes the statement that he will not call the general assembly together, and that his resolve in this respect is fixed. In doing so he expressed the opinion that the election of the next members of the legislature should be under the law of 1885.

"I have decided that I will not call a special session," said Governor Matthews, 'and this is a matter which I alone can decide. The question regarding the eligibility of the hold-over senators, however, is not within my province, and I give it only as a matter of opinion that their eligibility should not be questioned. I believe, also, that the next legislature should be elected under the law of 1885, though I cannot say, of course, what may be done. In no event, however, will I call a special session."

NEARLY BLIND!

Rev. Joseph Cook Suffering from Nervous Prostration.

Will Be Taken to Lake George Where It is Hoped He Will Recover.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 3.—Joseph Cook, of Boston, who recently returned from Australia and Japan, is at the sanitarium, Clifton Springs, suffering from an acute form of nervous prostration.

He is nearly blind, owing to a weakness of the optic nerve. He will be taken to his cottage at Lake George early in the spring, where it is hoped he will recover.

TWO MILLIONS LOST.

Fire Destroys Big Buildings in Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Feb. 3.—Chestnut street, above Broad, was visited early yesterday morning by one of the fiercest fires this city has known for years. The seven-story building of Charles H. Haseltine, 1416 and 1418 Chestnut street, and the adjoining five-story structure of the Baptist Publication society and the American Baptist Historical society were destroyed. The buildings damaged by fire and water and falling walls were the four-story dry goods house of Homer, Le Boutillier & Co., 1412 and 1414, the dwelling at 1423 owned by the Wistar estate and the Hotel Lafayette at Broad and Sansom streets. On either side of the main entrance to the Haseltine building were the piano warerooms of Hallet & Davis at 1416, and of Steinway & Co. at 1418. The two Baptist societies lost large and valuable collections of paintings, books and curios. The detailed losses are estimated as close to $2,000,000. It is thought that this is covered by insurance.

FOUND TRACKS

Of the Grave Robbers Who Were in Lindenwood.

William Walde Goes Over the Route Through the Cemetery—John Aiken's Discovery.

There can be no further doubt that the story told by William Walde, jr., in regard to the experience he had with grave robbers in Lindenwood cemetery, is absolutely correct. Walde has told of the occurrence several times and under various circumstances which would have certainly caused him to mix up the narrative, at least in some particular or in some detail, but this he has never done. Each time the story is the same. This, as every fair minded person must concede, would be an impossibility if Walde was telling a story which he had manufactured with the aid of his imagination.

Every new development in the matter goes to prove the truth of the story. As stated in THE SENTINEL Saturday Walde agreed to make a detailed sworn statement to Prosecutor Doughman and Deputy Prosecutor Aiken. This promise he fulfilled Saturday evening. He went to Prosecutor Doughman's office and made his statement so clear and straight, and made an affidavit to its truthfulness, that the prosecutor and deputy are both fully convinced that he saw exactly what he described.

After the statement had been taken Prosecutor Doughman said to a SENTINEL reporter:

"Walde is telling a perfectly straight story. He saw the grave robbers, the corpse and everything else just as he says he did. His story is the same as published in THE SENTINEL. Officers of the cemetery association were confident that when it came to the test the young man would flinch, but he has not done so."

Deputy Prosecutor Aiken said: "We were unable to get Walde tangled up in making his statement, therefore I am positive he has told the truth. He told it to us as it was published in THE SENTINEL, with the exception of a few minor details. My theory is that the grave robbers were not Fort Wayne people, but that they came from some other city, may be Chicago, and expected to get the body, place it in a trunk and then get away on one of the night trains."

In order to obtain, if possible, more information about the case, Walde was asked by THE SENTINEL to accompany two reporters of this paper to Lindenwood cemetery and point out the route he took through the grounds and locate, if possible, the grave which had been desecrated. He readily consented and went out with the two SENTINEL men.

He found the place where he climbed the fence and entered the cemetery from the road. From that point he started over the hills through the cemetery, following, as nearly as he could remember the same route he took on the night in question. When he had reached a place where there were three new graves only a short distance apart he stopped and remarked:

"Here is where it happened. I am not positive which grave it was but I think it was that one," and he pointed toward a particular grave. Continuing, he said: "I was so badly frightened that I am afraid it would be impossible for me to tell exactly which one it was."

From the three graves he was asked to follow the route taken by himself and the two grave robbers to the fence and then to the creek into which the latter dumped about a half bushel of dirt which they were unable to use in filling up the grave. He traced the route carefully and later went over it again, both times exactly alike.

Whether or not the graves or any of them had been disturbed, of course, cannot be told, although each one of the visiting party formed his own conclusion.

The result of the trip was that Walda proved conclusively that he had been in the cemetery at the time he said he was.

Just after Walde had left Lindenwood and started back to the city and before THE SENTINEL reporters departed Deputy Prosecutor Aiken arrived at the cemetery. He wanted to make a thorough investigation of the matter and gather any clues that he could discover.

THE SENTINEL reporters took him to the place where the three graves were located and he made a careful examination of every one, taking note of all the surroundings and every feature that was at all suspicious.

He climbed over the west fence at the point where Walde went over on the way to the creek. Mr. Aiken at once commenced a scrutiny of the soft, damp ground for footprints. He had not looked long until he struck a trail. The footsteps of three men were plainly visible, and they led from the fence, at the exact point designated by Walde, direct to the creek and to the exact spot where Walde said the men had dumped the dirt into the stream. From that point Mr. Aiken easily followed the same footprints straight along the bank of the creek to the fence along the Huntington road, where Walde says he and the grave robbers entered the wagon and drove away.

Tracks were also found and followed which led from the Huntington road fifty yards west of Lindenwood, to the west fence of the cemetery. These showed where two men had walked, and it is safe to say that they were the tracks of the two body snatchers as they went to their work.

These tracks were all old. They had been made several days ago and they were perfectly plain and distinct. The discovery of them fully convinced Deputy Prosecutor Aiken that the attempted grave robbery actually occurred just as Walda described it. They corresponded fully with the routes Walda had pointed out.

After finishing his investigation Mr. Aiken remarked to THE SENTINEL reporters: "The Cemetery association owes it as a duty to itself and to the public that it shall spare no pains to run this matter down to the bottom. I think some of these graves should be opened so we could tell whether or not they have been disturbed."

Yesterday a great many people visited Lindenwood cemetery, some through curiosity and others to see whether or not the graves of their friends or relatives had been disturbed. One or two parties had graves opened yesterday for the latter purpose, but they were in an entirely different part of the cemetery. They were found to have been untouched.

Prosecutor Doughman and Deputy Aiken say that nothing will be left undone to fathom the matter clear to the bottom.

THE SENTINEL has been informed, upon what should be the best of authority, that there is in Fort Wayne a man who for a number of years has followed grave robbing as a business. This man is said to live on East Lewis street. Our informant says he made overtures to the faculty of the Fort Wayne Medical college to furnish bodies to the college for $25 a piece. The faculty declined the offer, because the college is supplied with cadavers sufficient for their use in the legal and legitimate manner. Whether or not this professional body snatcher was mixed up in this case is not known.

A MISSING MAN.

Henry Leib Mysteriously Disappears From Home.

He Had Trouble Over Property and Relatives Fear He Has Committed Suicide.

Chris Dieberling, who lives on the corner of Clay and Madison streets, called at the police station this afternoon and reported that Henry Leib, an old man, had been missing from home since last night at 7 o'clock.

Dieberling said Lieb was his uncle. The latter is about seventy-nine years of age. He has been having some difficulty of late over some property and the family are fearful that he has wandered away and committed suicide. Leib lived with the Dieberling family at the place mentioned above. He is a plasterer by trade.

Dieberling informed the police that they should say that he would pay a reward of $25 for information that will disclose the whereabouts of the old man and lead to his return home. The family are very much worried over his disappearance and are using every effort to find him.

DELIGHTFUL BANQUET.

Insurance Agents Royally Feasted at the Randall Hotel.

A pleasant event, indeed, was the banquet given at the Randall hotel Saturday night to the agents of the Prudential Insurance company in the Fort Wayne district. It is the custom of the company to give a complimentary banquet each year to its Fort Wayne agents, this being the third one which has been served at the popular Randall.

The dining room was a bower of beauty. The huge table was decorated with potted plants and natural cut flowers. Landlord "Dick" served the banquet in ten courses and it was a magnificent spread and one which delighted all present.

Toasts were responded to as follows:

The Ordinary Branch	C. F. Houghton
The Industrial Branch	C. L. Williams
The Medical Examiner	Dr. E. J. McOscar
Our Agents	J. T. Prows
The Detached Asst. Supt.	G. H. Keefer
Trials of the Agent	M. Sullivan
Our Asst. Supt.	E. E. Keefer
What I Know About Insurance	H. Duncan
The Successful Agent	N. J. Niehoff
Collections	F. T. Williams
The Prudential	H. F. Hamburg

The affair was under the management of H. F. Hamburg, of this city, superintendent of this district. Those present were H. F. Hamburg, superintendent; C. F. Houghton, assistant superintent; E. J. McOscar, medical examiner; M. Sullivan, F. T. Williams, N. I. Niehoff, G. W. Clee, B. Collins, C. L. Williams, H. Duncan, W. F. Fleming, A. L. Cartwright, E. Shellabarger and E. Niehoff, of Fort Wayne; T. J. Prows, assistant superintendent; E. E Keefer, N. G. Hildebrand and J. E. Pilcher, of Huntington; G. H. Keefer, assistant superintendent; Dr. E. Horton, medical examiner, and A. W. Rolf, of Bluffton.

TWO VICTIMS LIKELY TO DIE.

No Explanation of the Poisoning of a Family in Rochester, N. Y.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb 3.—The condition of Martin Lynn and his wife, who were found unconscious in their residence yesterday suffering from the effects of poison mysteriously administered, still remains unchanged. At midnight they had not recovered consciousness. The children are out of danger. It is thought by some that the poison may have been administered by Miss Lynn, the sister, who was found in the house dead, while she was suffering from mental unsoundness, brought about by her diseased condition.

Philadelphia has long possessed a noble zoological garden. So has Cincinnati. New York has at length developed so much civic pride and enterprise that she is going to have one too.

INSTANT DEATH

Came to Peter Rosselot This Forenoon.

He Was Ascending the Lakeside Electric Light Tower.

The Elevator Cable Broke and a Heavy Weight Fell, Striking Him on the Head.

Peter Rosselot, a lamp trimmer in the employ of the Jenney Electric Light and Power company, was instantly killed shortly before noon today while at work on a tower in Lakeside. Death was so sudden that he never knew what struck him.

It was Rosselot's duty to climb the high electric light towers in the various sections of the city every day and trim the lamps, clean them up and provide them with new carbons, etc.

The tower in Lakeside is provided with a sort of an elevator, by means of which the trimmer was enabled to reach the top more easily. The elevator had a basket in which the man stood on the way up. A cable with a weight on the other end drew up the basket.

Rosselot had entered the basket this forenoon to make his usual ascent. When he had reached a height of perhaps twenty five feet from the bottom of the tower there was a sudden snapping of the cable. The line broke and the heavy weight dropped from above It struck Rosselot on the head, chrushing his skull and causing instant death.

There is a mechanism on the elevator basket for the purpose of preventing the basket from falling in case the cable should ever break. Consequently, when the line parted the basket remained suspended in mid-air, with the victim of the terrible accident inside.

Some people who witnessed the accident immediately summoned the patrol wagon. Officer Hines accompanied the wagon, but when he came to the spot he was unable to reach the basket. He sent for some men from the electric light power station and they climbed the tower and lowered the body to the ground. The lifeless man was in the basket for about an hour.

The remains were turned over to Kerlin & Bloom, who removed them to their undertaking establishment.

Rosselot was a married man and leaves a wife and three children. He was about thirty-five years of age. His home was at No. 85 Putnam street, on the north side.

MRS. HENRY STOLL.

Her Death Occurs This Morning From Paralysis.

She Had Suffered With the Disease Since Last Thursday—Edward Werner, Dead.

Mrs. Henry Stoll, wife of the custodian of the government building, died this morning from paralysis. She was stricken with the disease last Thursday, but on Saturday she appeared to be improving, but her death occurred this morning, at the family residence, No. 25 Second street. She was the mother of Henry Stoll, the Pittsburg railway detective. The time for the funeral has not yet been set.

WERMER.

Edward Wermer, aged one year, died at the residence of his parents, on Eckert street, yesterday, from obstruction of the bowels. The funeral occurs tomorrow at the residence at 2 o'clock, Rev. Sauer officiating.

MEEHAN.

Mrs. Mary Meehan died Saturday at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. George Ohneck, near the Feeble Minded home. She was aged seventy-five years and her death was caused by the infirmities that were brought on by old age.

She was born in Dublin, Ire'and, August 28, 1823, and came to America when quite young with her husband, who died several years ago.

She leaves three children, Mrs. George Ohneck and Mrs. Frank Magers, of this city, and Mrs. T. J. Guinn, of Glenwood Springs, Colo.

The funeral was held at 9:30 o'clock this morning at the Cathedral.

ENTERTAINING PROGRAM

Which Will be Given This Evening at Trinity Parish House.

This evening the following program will be given in the Parish house of Trinity Episcopal church and will be followed by the serving of tea:

Minuet	Misses Clara O'Rourke, Alice Foster, Frances Dryer, Laura Fee, Masters Charlie Hanna, Lawrence Young, George Wheelock, Arthur Rothschild.
Vocal solo	Love Scene
	Mrs. D. S. Bash, Mr. W. S. Bash.
Vocal solo	Jamie's on the Stormy Sea
	Miss Alice Dryer.
Old Red Cradle	
	Misses Barretta Banister, Grace Bass, Allie Griesoking; Messrs. Lee Xinde, F. Lambert.
Piano solo	Miss Brenda Fisher
Chorus	Auld Lang Syne

RECKLESS DRIVING.

It Nearly Kills a Young Woman on Calhoun Street.

A young woman whose name could not be learned came near being the victim of a terrible accident last Saturday evening as a result of the careless and reckless driving of a man with a delivery wagon. This man was coming east on Wayne street and turned the corner onto Calhoun street at a rapid rate, without even looking to see whether or not any one was in the way. A young lady was crossing Calhoun street at the time and the horses struck her. She was knocked down and rolled over and under their feet. Dr. English happened to see the accident and he rushed to the lady's assistance. He drew her from her perilous position and found that she was unharmed. The driver then drove away at as rapid a gait as he could, apparently caring not whether he killed anyone or not. Such driving should be stopped by the police.

KICKED IN A DOOR.

William Block and Oscar L. Miller Arrested.

They Tried to Break into Mrs. Nierman's House—Pat Regan Wanted to Visit His Girl.

Police court drew a good sized crowd this morning. The court room was well filled with spectators, who, no doubt, expected to hear something sensational.

William Block and Oscar B. Miller were arrested, early this morning for malicious trespass. They went to the residence of Mrs. Nierman, No. 171 Erie street, at about two o'clock and wanted to get in. Both were drunk. Mrs. Nierman refused to admit them and they proceeded to break windows and doors. Block smashed a window and in doing so cut his hand. Miller kicked in a front door. The police were notified and Sergeant Daseler and Officer Richardson found the two men in the greenhouse not far from Mrs. Nierman's house. Mayor Oakley found them guilty of malicious trespass and fined them $11 50 each.

Pat Reagan was also before the mayor. He was arrested at about midnight by Officer Harkenrider for trying to get into a house on Spy Run avenue. She was sick on Saturday and sent for him to come and see her in the evening. After he got through work Reagan became intoxicated. At about midnight he went to the house and could not arouse anyone. He could not make his girl hear him, so he started to raise a window in order to get in to see her. He was pretty full and the result was that he broke the window and made a great noise. This aroused the man of the house who hurried out and captured the supposed burglar. Reagan gave himself up and sat on the front stoop of the house until Officer Harkenrider arrived. This morning in police court he told his story and the girl was there to corroborate his. He showed plainly that he had not intended to commit a burglary or any other crime, so the mayor assessed a fine of $10 50 for intoxication. Regan had no money so his girl went out and in a few minutes she returned with the necessary cash. She paid his fine and they went away, looked arms and under an umbrella built for two.

George Fetgen, another one of the gang of alleged boy burglars who have been operating in the south part of the city for some time past, was captured at Warsaw last Saturday and brought to this city in the evening. This morning in police court he was given a preliminary hearing. Mayor Oakley sent him to the circuit court. Saturday the other three members of the gang, Tom Cook, Harry Cook and a boy named McCain, were given a hearing and were also bound over.

TWO DIVORCES.

Boseker vs. Boseker and Bishop vs. Bishop.

Judge O'Rourke Gives Them a Legal Separation—Criminals in Circuit Court.

In the call of divorce cases today Judge O'Rourke did not get farther along than the "B's" in the alphabet.

The first case reached was that of Nettie Boseker against Harry Boseker. The plaintiff was given a divorce.

The next case was that of Delilah Bishop against William Bishop. The plaintiff in this case was also given a divorce.

E. V. Emrick was the plaintiff's attorney in both cases.

The new term of the circuit court opened this morning, but, aside from the arraignment of several criminals, nothing of an interesting character was done.

Tony Gardner, who was arrested for stealing overcoats, was given a sentence of ninety days in jail. The trial of Ed Moran was set for March 2d, and that of Leonard McCrory and Ben Moore for March 3.

The Bollinger case occupies the attention of Judge Dawson and a jury in the superior court.

Koons and Rowe, accused of stealing chickens, will have their trial in the circuit court on February 17.

Harry Cook and his brother, George Pigeon, Herbert McGuire, and McCain, arrested for stealing tools from the Bradley carpenter shop, were arraigned in the circuit court this morning. Pigeon and McGuire were released on bail. The Cook boys entered no pleas.

The county commissioners have refused to grant a liquor license to George Ward, who desired to open a saloon at Harlan. Ward was refused a license some time ago to sell brain-destroying stuff at Maysville.

Lord Leighton's Funeral.

LONDON, Jan. 3.—A large crowd of people watched the departure, this morning, of the funeral procession conveying the remains of the late Lord Leighton, president of the Royal academy, from the Royal academy, to the steps of the cathedral.

Colonel Thompson Dead.

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—Col. W. P. Thompson, president of the National Lead company, died of pneumonia today.

NO SECRET

IN THIS WOMAN'S

Mrs. Campbell Wishes Her Letter Published so that the Truth May Be Known.

[SPECIAL TO OUR LADY READERS.]

Of the thousands of letters received from women all over the world by Mrs. Pinkham, not one is given to the public unless by the wish of the writer. Thus absolute confidence is established between Mrs. Pinkham and her army of patients; and she freely solicits a letter from any woman, rich or poor, who is in ill health or ailing.

In the case of Mary E. Campbell, of Albion, Noble Co., Ind., her suffering was so severe, her relief so suddenly realised, and her gratitude so great, that she wishes the circumstances published, in the hope that others may be benefited thereby. She says:—

"My physician told me I had dropsy and falling of the womb. My stomach and bowels were so bloated I could not get a full breath. My face and hands were bloated badly. I had that dreadful bearing-down pain, backache, palpitation of the heart, and nervousness.

"One of my physicians told me I had something growing in my stomach; and the medicine that I took gave me relief only for a short time. I thought I must die. I began to take *Lydia E. Pinkham's* Vegetable Compound, and it worked like a charm. After taking the first bottle I could walk across the street, now I am well. I advise all my friends to take it."—MARY E. CAMPBELL, Albion, Noble Co.

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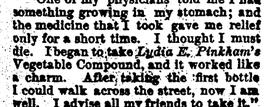

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HUMANE SOCIETY NOTICE.

All parties having knowledge of acts of cruelty to animals or children will greatly favor and assist the Fort Wayne Humane Society by telephoning or writing such information to Officer Schlandroff, 83 Clinton street. Telephone No. 55

The Collapse Of Values.

Our Annual Inventory recently taken indicates an overstock in many departments.

During February we abandon all consideration of profits and have fully determined to reduce this overstock.

Buy now for present and future necessities. You'll find it the greatest paying investment you ever made.

Look through our Children's department. Boys' High Grade Reefer Coats that sold at $5, $6 and $7, now selling at $3 98.

Former $2.50 and $3.00 Reefer Coats for boys, ages 4 to 15, now $1.85.

Cloth Leggings for boys that sold at $1.00, now 50 cents.

Sizes are somewhat broken in our Overcoat department, but surprises await you here in prices. The greatest OVERCOAT PICNIC you ever enjoyed. During Febuary we will sell

$6.00 Overcoats for $3 85.
$8.00 Overcoats for $5 85.
$10.00 Overcoats for $6.85.
$12.00 Overcoats for $8.85.
$15.00 Overcoats for $10. 85.
$18.00 Overcoats for $11.85.
$25.00 Overcoats for $16.85.

Men's Furnishings.

We are particularly overstocked here and during this month shall unload if phenomenally low prices will be an inducement to buy new and seasonable merchandise at 30 per cent. less than actual values.

50-Cent Lined Working Gloves now 25 cents.
50-Cent Jersey Knit Gloves now 25 cents.
50 and 75-Cent Underwear now 38 cents.
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The Evening Sentinel.

BY E. A. K BACKETT.

MONDAY, FEB. 3 1896.

TONIGHT.

WORKING GIRLS UNION—Entertainment and hop at their hall.
CHURCH CONCERT—At parish house of Trinity Episcopal church.
SONS OF VETERANS—Entertainment at Schroeder's hall on Broadway.
BRICKLAYERS AND MASONS UNIONS—Regular meeting, No. 7 East Main street.
BROTHERHOOD OF FIREMAN—Regular meeting, No 70 Calhoun street.
CALEDONIAN SOCIETY—Regular Meeting, No. 76 Calhoun street.
EMPIRE THEATRE—Vaudeville Entertainment.
MUTUAL AID ASSOCIATION, No. 1—St Patrick's hall.
FORTNIGHTLY CLUB—Discussion of the silver question.
ST. PAULS EVANGELICAL LUTHERANS YOUNG MEN'S SOCIETY—Monthly meeting, corner of Barr and Madison streets.
LODGES—St. Mary's Lodge, No. 14, (colored) F. and A. M.; Fort Wayne Lodge No. 14, I. O. O. F.; Phoenix Lodge No. 101, K. of P.; Mad Anthony Hive No. 27, L. O. T. M.; Ben Hur Court, No. 15, T. B. H.; Modern Woodmen.

PRESIDENTIAL nomination lightning is hovering around the heads of a number of prominent men in both parties and they are all hoping it will strike them.

IF the ground hog was astir before 10 o'clock Sunday morning, he saw his shadow and got back into his hole again as soon as possible. We will tie our faith to the ground hog's weather predictions everytime, and hence we believe that winter will stay with us for six weeks longer.

IN the last issue of "Our Methodist Paper" Rev. Dr. H. W. Bennett, its editor, has the following: "It was a surprise and a pleasure to note that the FORT WAYNE SENTINEL would not assist Mr. Ingersoll to spread rhetorical rhapsodies and vaporings in this city. This paper commends itself by its high moral tone and avoidance of a certain class of reading matter."

ONE of the encouraging signs of an improved moral condition and a spiritual awakening on the part of the people of Fort Wayne is the increased attendance at Sunday services in all of the churches of the city. In conversation with one of the ministers, a SENTINEL representative was told that the church congregations on Sunday have been larger this winter than they have ever been before in the history of Fort Wayne.

IT is rather curious that McKinley, who promises to show up stronger on the first ballot than any of his competitors at the republican presidential convention, is the man of all others that the democrats would choose to lead the opposition if they were permitted to have a voice in the selection of the candidate. He, more than other man in the republican party, represents the principle of high tariff protection and this is the very issue that the democrats desire to have prominent in the coming campaign.

DURING January 10 000 people left the ports of Cuba in the hunt for places of safety. They had no confidence that Spain could help them and they had no desire to help Spain. The fugitives seem to have the idea that there will be a great uprising among the Cubans ere long and that Gomez and Maceo are fully cognizant of the conditions in Havana and at headquarters of the Spanish army.

NO LOCAL event of recent occurrence in this city has created so much interest and comment as the reported at tempted grave robbery of last week. and Prosecuting Attorney Doughman is doing the right thing in getting all the information in regard to the matter that he can. If there has been an offense of this kind attempted, every effort should be made to hunt out the guilty parties so that they can be properly punished.

The Free Coinage Bill.

The long struggle in the senate over the question of free coinage terminated, as told in the telegraph columns of THE SENTINEL of Saturday, when the free coinage substitute, was adopted and the bill as amended passed by a vote of forty-two to thirty-five. Its title was changed so as to make it read: "To restore the coinage of silver dollars and for other purposes." All the sections of the house bill are struck out The bill now goes to the house for concurrence in the substitute. The bill as amended reads as follows:

That from and after the passage of this act the mines of the United States shall be open to the coinage of silver and there shall be coined dollars of the weight of 412½ grains troy of standard silver, nine-tenths fine, as provided by the act of January 18, 1837, and upon the same terms and subject to the limitations and provisions of law regulating the coinage and legal tender quality of gold, and whenever the said coins herein provided for shall be received in the treasury certificates may be issued therefore in the manner now provided by law.

Sec. 2. That the secretary of the treasury shall coin into standard silver dollars, as soon as practicable, according to the provisions of section 1 of this act, from the silver bullion purchased under authority of the act of July 14, 1890, entitled "An act directing the purchase of silver bullion and the issue of treasury notes thereon, and for other purposes," that portion of said silver bullion which represents the seigniorage of profit to the government, to wit: the difference between the cost of the silver purchased under said act and its coinage value, and said dollars so coined shall be used in the payment of the current expenses of the government and for the purpose of making the seigniorage immediately available for use as money, the secretary of the treasury is hereby authorized and directed to issue silver certificates against it as if it was already coined in the treasury.

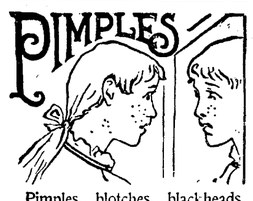
Sec. 3. That no national bank note shall be hereafter issued of a denomination less than $10, and all notes of such banks now outstanding of denominations less than that sum shall be as rapidly as practicable taken up, redeemed and cancelled, and notes of $10 and larger denominations shall be issued in their stead, under the direction of the comptroller of the currency.

Sec. 4 The secretary of the treasury shall redeem the United States notes, commonly called "greenbacks," and also the treasury notes issued under the provisions of the act of July 14, 1890, when presented for redemption in standard silver dollars or in gold coin, using for redemption of said notes either gold or silver coin or both, at the option of the holder, but exclusively at the option of the treasury department, and said notes, commonly called "greenbacks," when so redeemed, shall be reissued as provided by the act of May 31, 1878

Cuban Recognition.

While the people of the United States are almost unanimous in desiring congress to accord belligerent rights to Cuba, there are some obstacles in the way with which the majority of them are not acquainted. These exist in certain articles of an old treaty with Spain, a treaty made 101 years ago.

One of the stipulations, and a troublesome one to get over, is that when either the United States or Spain is at war with another nation, the cruisers of the contracting nation which is at war shall have the right to search the merchant vessels of the other contracting nation for goods contraband of war. What these goods are is specified in the treaty. That is to say, if we should accord belligerent rights to Cuba, we would virtually pronounce her an independent nation at war with Spain. Then Spanish cruisers would have the right to stop our merchantmen anywhere on the high seas and search them for contraband goods. This would not make much difference anywhere outside of the West Indies, for outside of that region we have no foreign commerce, but unfortunately it is just there that we have several lines of merchant ships plying. Under the same treaty if a citizen of the United States should fit out a vessel to engage in service against Spain, "he shall be punished as a pirate."



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It is trade considerations which mostly deter this government from recognizing Cuba. When it becomes a question of common humanity, however, considerations of the dollar are not to be entertained.

Americanism Not Jingoism.

Nobody wants any jingoism in this country. But the resolution of Senator Cushman K. Davis is not jingoism. It is just good, plain Americanism. It simply sets forth in clear words the present understanding of the Monroe doctrine, which is that any attempt on the part of any foreign power whatsoever to get a foot more of territory on this hemisphere, whether by conquest or by insidiously stretching out its boundary lines to include more than the law allows, will be considered an act hostile to the United States. So will the attempt to gain any protectorate over a power on this hemisphere or to get control over any canal or other means of transportation across "the American isthmus." The New York Journal puts it as follows and puts it exactly right:

We fail to see what offense it can give Great Britain for Uncle Sam to specify that European powers (mostly monarchical, our excellent friend, France, always excepted) shall not try "through force, purchase, cession, occupation, pledge, colonization, protectorate, or by control of the easement in canal or any other means of transit across the American isthmus," to seize and convert to its own uses any South American territory.

The world is wide, and this is our side of it. We propose to control the Nicaragua canal, which will furnish the shortest waterway between our Atlantic and Pacific coasts. We do not intend to be hemmed in or harassed by foreign fortresses. Why not have the courage to say so? There is not a single one of our trade interests which will be permanently injured by any such declaration. If we are not bold enough to seize our opportunity now, we shall miss it forever and shall deserve our fate.

Light That Penetrates Solids.

A marvelous discovery has been made by Professor Routgen of the University of Wurzburg, Bavaria. It is nothing less than a device which will make all vivisection processes hereafter mere needless cruelty. Electricity is the agent by which the interior of opaque substances may be illuminated and not only illuminated, but photographed, through the invention of Professor Routgen. According to the reports received, he simply passes an induction electrical current through a glass tube whose interior is a vacuum. The pipe during this operation gives off rays of light of such brilliancy that they penetrate solid substances and render these internally visible, so that the interior parts may be plainly photographed.

By means of the professor's apparatus, the bones of a man's hand have been perfectly photographed. So also have metals in the inside of a wooden box. The powerful rays pass through solid substances as ordinary light rays pass through glass or clear water. They are so powerful indeed that in one instance metals inside a wooden box were photographed through a cloth that had been thrown over the mouth of the camera.

The importance of this discovery, especially in medical science, can hardly be overestimated. It will enable all internal diseases to be minutely examined and treated. Bullets may be located and removed. The beating of the heart, the condition of the lungs, the circulation of the blood, will be as clear to the eye as if the human body were transparent. Transparentness is only relative anyhow.

Municipal Electric Lighting.

One of the favorite enterprises of Mayor Pingree and his friends in Detroit has been the erection by the city of a plant for electrically lighting streets and public buildings. In order to procure the necessary buildings, machinery, wire and poles the citizens at an election authorized Detroit to issue $800,000 worth of city bonds. It is one of the strangest facts recorded in any municipal history that not only was the authorized sum not exceeded, but the work was actually done for $200,000 less than the sum voted.

In Detroit the municipal plant lights all the public buildings, even to the schoolhouses. So popular is it that it is expected in the course of a short time the city will be lighting the private houses of its people at a specified rate. A figuring up of the cost of municipal illumination shows a great advantage over the private lighting system. Taking into account the interest of the capital invested, the wear and tear of buildings and machinery and even counting out the sum that would have had to be paid in taxes on the property under private ownership, it was found that there was a difference in favor of the municipal system of $2.15 per light per month, that, too, when the cost of municipal light production was compared with the lowest rate at which private plants had ever furnished illumination.

The boundary treaty by which Russia originally held Alaska read that the width of the strip of Alaskan soil running down along west of British Columbia should be ten marine leagues inland from the coast of the Pacific ocean. That was plain enough. It meant ten marine leagues inland from the coast of the mainland, just as it said. But when British Columbia came to be settled up, and it was found there were millions of acres of valuable grain and wheat raising lands eastward of the Alaskan strip, then it was contended by the British settlers that the treaty did not mean what it said, just plain ten marine leagues inland from the edge of the mainland, but that the ten leagues must be measured from the islands along and outside of the coast instead of that coast itself. This is now the claim of the British Columbians, a claim that on the face of it is preposterous. The treaty means to us just what it meant to Russia—the ten leagues measure from the beginning of the mainland.

The regular British game in getting possession of new country is noteworthy. English are the greatest of globe trotters. They go to a new country where they think there is money to be made, especially if they smell gold mines thereabouts. They colonize the place. Then they manage to get into a row with the original owners of the land, and England interferes to protect her subjects. That was the alleged reason for the Jameson raid into the Transvaal; that was the reason Salisbury refused at first to arbitrate the Venezuelan boundary question beyond the Schomburgk line. English colonists had settled in the disputed territory, and Salisbury said that English colonists must not be disturbed in their "rights" without taking the trouble to find first whether they had any rights there.

RESULT OF A STRIKE.

Cars of the Chicago and Southeastern Burned at Lebanon.

The Shops of the Company Saved from Destruction by the Prompt Action of the Fire Department.

LEBANON, Ind., Feb 3.—The entire forces of the Chicago and Southern railroad shops in this city walked out Saturday morning and announced their intentions to stay out until they have received six months' back pay due them. Not only have they quit work, but have already commenced waging war against the company and its interests. Since the strike was inaugurated trains have been run on the side track and allowed to proceed no further.

It was given out by the leaders that the men would conduct a peaceable campaign. In a meeting held mob violence was condemned, and the men were requested to remain away from the company's right of way. James Kennedy, a shop foreman, was elected leader. In a speech he urged the men to remain loyal not only to their cause, but to their country, by committing no depredations.

Scores of men, however, congregated around the shops until midnight, when the last group dispersed, not even a guard having been left to prevent the passage of trains. Those engaged in watching the company's property began to consider alertness no longer a necessity and ceased making their rounds with the vigilance displayed during the evening

This proved to be but the calm preceding the storm, for a few minutes after 2 o'clock Sunday, flames shot up near the railroad shops. The city's fire department promptly answered the alarm, but with difficulty they barely succeeded in saving the shops proper. The fire consumed all the company's freight cabooses in the yards.

The freight and passenger station at Westfield, twenty miles east, also went up in smoke.

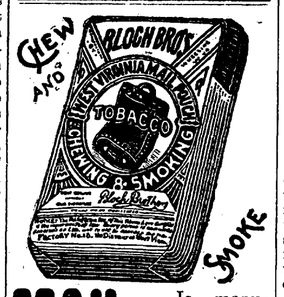
The strikers deny any hand in these conflagrations, and say the torch has been applied by sympathizers of the company purposely to bring them into disrepute. Large crowds have congregated around the scene of the fires, no one having a word to say in condemnation.

The road has caused much trouble to the counties through which it passes Since its construction the officials have persistently neglected to pay their men promptly. At no time since its operation have they been in arrears less than six months to a year. H. Crawford, sr., of the Chicago and New York, is president, and although he is said to have brought other railroad stock well up the line of good investments, his luck in this connection is yet to come. Thousands of dollars' worth of property has been destroyed from time to time by strikers, and many times the president barely escaped the vengeance of the men.

Telegrams were passed freely between the superior officers and the leaders of the strike yesterday, the company promising the money shall be forthcoming as soon as the president can be heard from. Extra patrolmen guard their property, fearing that the city's interests may suffer from acts of violence by the strikers. Frank C Reagan, local attorney for the company, says that President Crawford will come here tomorrow, when he thinks all differences will be adjusted. It is rumored that the trainmen will join the strikers unless a settlement is reached soon.

The monthly meeting of the Humane society was held this afternoon at the law office of the president of the organization, Senator T. E. Ellison. Among the reports was that for the work of Humane Officer Louis Schlaudroff, showing the cases investigated by him as follows: Children abandoned or neglected, 11; beaten or abused, 15; destitute, 26; homeless, 25; having improper homes, 28; incorrigible, 7; wife beating, 1. Animals over-driven or over-working, 3; torturing with broken collar, 1; deprived of necessary food or shelter, 10; general cruelty, 8; abandoning animals to die, 1; cases reported at office, 25; not substantiated, 1; warned, 30; animals taken from work, 1; animals killed, being unfit for use 2 Found permanent home for one child. Two children were taken to Allen county orphans' home. Shot one horse and one dog.

The services at the city department of the Young Men's Christian association yesterday afternoon were led by Rev. L. L Henson, the pastor of the Baptist tabernacle, who preached a most impressive and interesting discourse on the theme, "Lost," using as the foundation of his remarks the three parables of Christ, "the Lost Sheep," "the Lost Coin," and "the Prodigal Son." The thought which he drew out was that Christ and the church were most deeply interested in the sinner and were anxious and willing to do all in their power to bring about his salvation. The sinner, however, had a duty to perform. He must manifest a willingness to be saved, for without that his salvation cannot be brought about. He closed with a strong plea to the unconverted, and, as a result of his effective talk, six young men raised their hands for prayers. The singing at the services was done by the choir of the Baptist church and at the close Mr. E. F. Yarnelle rendered a beautiful solo, the sentiment of which was appropriate to the discourse preached by Rev. Henson. There was a large attendance and the services were of a most profitable character.



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A BREAK IN THE TIRE.

By Luke Sharp.

HERE is just a little bit of the devil in every bicycle. I suppose this comes through the fierce heat and the welding of things that take place before a machine is thoroughly constructed. Anyhow, there the touch of Satin is, and I know no way of eliminating it.

When we read the parable of the devil entering into the swine and the swine at once rushing to their destruction in the sea, we recognize a certain likeness to the actions of a bicycle when it gets a man at its mercy. A bike will behave beautifully on level ground, but get it on the top of a long and unknown hill and then trouble begins. I don't know whether it is because of a fellow feeling with hogs or not, but the moment I am on a bicycle going down a hill I think of the swine that rushed down to the sea.

It would be just as easy for a tire to become punctured when you are near home as when you are far away, but I never knew that to happen. The first time a man gets his pneumatic tire punctured is a very serious occasion with him. I suppose that most persons, when taking on a bicycle, have been shown by some kind friend just how easy it is to slip the pneumatic tire over the wheel rim and mend a puncture in the inner tube. In my back yard a friend took off the tire, extracted the thin inner tube (the whole operation looked like a clinical demonstration in anatomy), fixed a mythical puncture, slipped on the outer covering again, pumped it up, and there it was. My friend claimed that he could mend a puncture and have everything in going order again in three minutes by the watch, and I have no doubt he spoke the truth, but I am free to confess that I can't do it, and on the first occasion I had to meet with a real puncture I am sure I could not have fixed the machine inside of six weeks.

When I first took to riding the bicycle I was in constant fear of puncturing. I dodged every piece of stone on the road, and would not run over a piece of glass if I could help it. I seemed to be constantly watching the path ahead of me for anything that would puncture the tire, but by and by, as nothing happened, I grew more easy in my mind, and at last completely forgot that such a thing as punctures added to the many troubles of bicyclers.

In touring around I have a fancy for leaving the main traveled roads and journeying along unfrequented lanes more out of the way of traffic, relying on good luck and a reasonably accurate map to bring me to civilization again. It was on one of these occasions, when I was at least 20 miles from home, as the crow flies, and right in the depths of the country that I came just around a corner upon a bit of new road bristling with flint stones into which I drove full speed before I noticed what was ahead of me. The tire collapsed, and the wheel came down with that sickening thud, thud, on the road which, once experienced, is never forgotten. I suppose that five or six times a year somebody comes along that lane, and among those five or six persons there is perhaps one who never saw or heard of a bicycle. I drew my disabled machine to the grassy side of the lane under the hedge, and sat down with my head in my hands trying to think what that man had done first when he took off the tire. It was months before, and though I had seemed to understand the operation at the time, my ideas now were in the most hazy condition possible. As far as I could recollect he unscrewed something first and then things seemed to

"I TRIED TO SLIP THE OUTER COVER OFF."

come apart; so I attacked the valve into which you pump the air, and finally got it into a position where I knew I could never get it back again. I tried to slip the outer cover off, but found, to my amazement, that a couple of wires were concealed somewhere in the edge of the outer tire that I had entirely forgotten. After an hour's hard work I had gotten the machine in such a state that I very much doubted if it could ever be put together again. I now consulted my map to find, if possible, in what part of creation I really was. I hadn't much confidence in the map, anyhow; it had led me astray more than once, and had landed me in the most unexpected places, but now, if it told the truth, there was a main road a mile or two further ahead, and along that main road undoubtedly a bicycler would ultimately come, and the chances were that he would understand something about pneumatic tires. If I had had complete faith in the map I should have trundled my bicycle to the main road, but as it was, I thought I had better mount the hill further on and see if I could discover signs of the principal thoroughfare. When I got on top of the hill I found there was another gentle decline and a still higher hill, and thus I was lured on and on, leaving my bicycle alone by the roadside until I found, as I had suspected, that there was no main road anywhere in the neighborhood. Turning back in despair, not knowing what next to do, I was overjoyed to see coming towards me, over the crest of the low hill, a man on a bicycle. When he saw me he apparently hesitated, and made as if he would turn back, but finally concluded to come on. As he approached I saw with amazement the reason of his hesitation. He was on my machine. I planted myself square in the middle of the lane, and although he attempted to dodge me, I grasped the handle bars.

"Now, you scoundrel," I said "get off."

He was a much smaller man than I am, and I knew that if matters came to extremities I would have little difficulty in taking care of him. He got off without a word, but his face was pale and his lips trembled.

"Now," I said to him, "if I did right, I would break your ugly head. You may be thankful at getting off so easily; however, I am obliged to you for mending the tire, and because of that I will say no more about the matter."

The young fellow edged away from me and looked as if he would like to take to his heels.

"You needn't be afraid," I said; "I won't hurt you."

Opening the little tool satchel at the back of the seat, I saw that he had not taken away the oil can and some of the other implements.

"Where are the rest of the tools?" I asked.

"They are all there that ever was there," he answered with hesitation.

It wasn't worth while discussing the matter with him, so I mounted the machine and ascended the hill he had come down and ran along where the disaster had happened. Here, to my amazement, I found my own machine still lying where I had placed it under the hedge. Without dismounting I whirled around and made after the young fellow whom I had robbed. I suppose I did look like a disreputable character with my face and clothes smeared with oil through my hours of effort at trying to take my machine to pieces. The moment the young fellow saw me coming behind him he began to run as fast as he could, and finally seeing that I was bound to overtake him he tried to get through the hedge, where he stuck.

"I have no money," he shouted, "at least only a shilling or two in my pocket."

"Look here," I said, "I am not such a villain as I look. I am no bicycle thief. I thought you were on my machine. Didn't you see it as you came along lying up against the hedge?"

"No," he answered with relief, coming down to the side of the road again.

"Well," I said, "I must apologize very abjectly for my conduct. Your machine is exactly like mine and I thought it was mine. I never expected any sane bicyclist would come along this lane."

"Didn't you come along the lane?" asked the young fellow.

"Yes, but I said sane bicyclist."

"Oh."

"I have punctured my tire, and I don't know how to repair it. I have been working at it for hours, and if you know anything about tires, for heaven's sake forgive me for the robbery, and come back and show me how to make my tire air tight once more."

The young fellow was very nice about it, indeed, and he returned with me to where the disabled machine lay. With that expertness which receives my most profound admiration, but which seems impossible for me to emulate, he whipped off the tire, mended the tube, and put everything in shape again. The whole episode was a lesson in Christian charity which I hope will not be lost on me.

I don't know when the second puncture of that tire will take place, but I hope when it does, I will have so good and mild a friend within call as the young fellow whom I robbed of his bicycle.

Southern Repartee.

Quite funny are some of the experiences narrated by persons returning from the Atlanta exposition. A local newspaper man, who got back from the south on Monday, tells this one on himself. Upon arriving at Atlanta he chartered a hack, and with that fine scorn of pecuniary considerations characteristic of his profession, ordered the driver t convey him to the "best hotel in town." Entering the really gorgeous caravansary, he dropped his grip before the desk, held a pen poised above the register and inquired: "What kind of a room can you give me and how much?" The clerk, a typical southerner, with sallow complexion, drooping mustache and long goatee, replied in an indifferent sort of tone: "Well, suh, Ah ken give yo' a fo'th flo' room foh fo' dollahs a day, suh." "Fo'th flo' foh fo dollars," repeated the visitor facetiously mimicking the soft, southern accent, "then I presume you can give me a first floor room for one dollar, eh?" "N-o-o, suh," drawled the haughty Georgian; "Ah kotn't give yo' a fust flo' room foh one dollah, suh; but Ah ken give yo' a room without any flo' at all foh nothin', suh. Jest go down thar to the bahn and inqui' foh the mewel pahtments." The Philadelphian made no further attempt to have fun with the natives during his stay in Atlanta.—Philadelphia Record.

Ungrateful.

"Papa." (She knelt beside the dejected figure and fondly kissed the drooping head.) "Papa, can I not keep the wolf from the door with my singing?" He was without hope, although he smiled. "My child," he sighed, "your singing would keep almost anything from the door, but the wolf is pretty nervy, you know."—Detroit News-Tribune.

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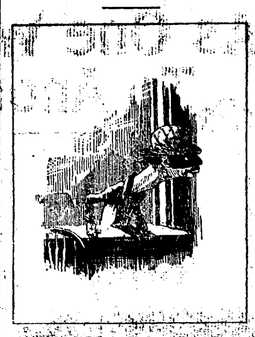

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2—I'll crawl under de bed an watch me chance.

3—Fat Boy [from Barnum's, 500 lbs]—Well, I guess I'll turn in for the night.

4—And just then the bed slats gave away and the burglar was caught.

CUT IN TWAIN.

Ernest Sauerwein Meets a Most Shocking Death.

Run Down and Horribly Mangled by a Lake Shore Locomotive—Local Gossip.

Shortly after 6 o'clock Saturday evening one of the most shocking accidents of recent years occurred on the Lake Shore road, about 100 yards west of St. Mary's avenue.

At the hour mentioned Ernest Sauerwein was walking on the tracks, en route to his home on Franklin avenue, when engine No. 252, pushing two cars and bound for the Nickel Plate "Y," came gliding along swiftly from the east and ran him down, killing him instantly.

Conductor B. H. Cary and Switchman H. D. Beam were standing on the car next to the engine and heard the unfortunate man's startled cry when the car struck him. Mr. Cary gave the signal and Engineer Morris L. Hickey applied the brakes and brought the engine to a standstill within 100 feet of the place where the accident happened. The train crew climbed down from the cars, ran back a short distance and were horrified by the sight which met their gaze. There lay the mangled remains of a man, and from the dim rays of the conductor's lantern they recognized the face of Ernest Sauerwein.

The body was cut in two at the waist, the head, shoulders and arms lying upon the ends of the ties and the lower portion of the body and the legs lying between the rails. Near by were several packages, containing linenwear, a couple loaves of bread and tools, which the poor fellow had in his arms when struck. One of the sharp instruments was driven into the fleshy part of the leg. The left hand was also mangled, the wheels passing diagonally over it and crushing the outer portion and the third and fourth fingers.

A telephone message to police headquarters brought Sergeants Jewell and Daseler, with the patrol wagon, to the scene and the remains were at once taken to Peltier's morgue, where Coroner Harrod viewed them. At the request of the relatives and friends of the deceased, the body was then conveyed to Wellman's undertaking establishment, where it was prepared for burial.

The funeral will be held from the residence of Frank Sauerwein, 56 Barthold street, at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, Rev. John H. Bosch, of St. John's Reformed church, officiating.

Ernest Sauerwein was a machinist and for several years worked in the Lake Erie and Western shops, in Bloomingdale. He was thirty-six years old, married and was the father of two children, both girls. Some months ago Mrs. Sauerwein became infatuated with an insurance agent named Vaughan and eloped with him. They were located at Minneapolis, where Sheriff Clausmeier found them and brought the woman back to this city. She appeared repentant and Mr. Sauerwein forgave her and for awhile their domestic affairs ran smoothly. But the woman again disappeared and this time her husband made no particular effort to find her. It was thought she went to Cincinnati, but if she did go there she soon returned and is now said to be conducting a boarding house in the southern part of this city. The deserted husband took his two little girls out to the Reformed Orphans' home, where they still remain, while he retained his old home, sleeping there and taking his meals at the residence of his brother, Frank Sauerwein, on Barthold street. Besides Frank, two other brothers survive the deceased. They are Charles and Herman Sauerwein, who reside in St. Louis. A telegram informing them of the death of Ernest was forwarded Sunday morning and the brothers are expected here this afternoon.

The deceased enjoyed the esteem and confidence of his fellowmen to a high degree. He was a good man, they say, and as evidence of his Christian spirit and forgiving nature they point to the treatment his truant wife has received at his hands, after so grievously wronging him. The associates of Mr. Sauerwein also state that he was not in the habit of walking on the railway track to and from his work, as stated in a Sunday morning paper. His rule was to keep off the tracks, but to avoid a two block's tramp through the mud Saturday evening, he broke the rule and took to the dry railroad bed. His hearing was defective and he did not notice the warning engine bell nor the noise of the wheels on the rails until the train was upon him.

Mr. Sauerwein was a member of the National Union and held a life policy for $2,000 in that order. Two or three weeks ago he had the paper changed, making his two children the beneficiaries, instead of his wife.

It was not the regular switch engine which killed Mr. Sauerwein, that locomotive having been run into the round house for the night, as is customary at 5 o'clock Saturday evening. The engine which did the killing was the one which brought a local train in that evening. The train, which was late, had two loaded stock cars to be delivered to the Nickel Plate, and as the switch engine was not available, the local freight crew was ordered to take the cars down to the "Y."

A VETERAN GONE.

John Welch, the veteran employe in the Pittsburg shops, died at 6 o'clock this morning from general debility, aged seventy-three years. The deceased leaves a wife and five children, as follows: John and James, of this city; Thomas Welch, Mrs. Minnie Crane and Mrs. Katherine Pennell, of Logansport. The funeral will be held from St. Patrick's church at an hour to be appointed later. Mr. Welch was born in County Sligo, Ireland, and came to America about forty-five years ago. Forty years ago he came to this city and immediately took a position as wiper in the Pittsburg round house and worked continuously at it up to November 20 last, when ill health compelled him to cease his labors. He was a member of the Pennsylvania Voluntary Relief association.

BRIEF MENTION.

G. L. Lown, a car inspector, is sick and off duty.

J. V. Palmer, a carpenter employed in the Pittsburg shops, is sick.

Louis Hibbler and H. Grothaus, of the Pittsburg blacksmith shop, are sick and off duty.

Pittsburg Machinist C. Cooper, who was sick, was able to return to work this morning.

The local branch of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers nominated officers yesterday.

Machinist William Lerch got the better of the grip in a two days' tussle and is on duty today again.

Bad weather kept several of the employes of the Pittsburg lumber yards from reporting for duty this morning.

The Chicago and Erie has put the new men, recently promoted to engineers, back to fireing on account of a surplus of men.

Fred Kiser has resigned as baggage master of the Wabash depot in Huntington. Henry Keeler was appointed to fill the vacancy.

C. Volz, P. Junk and A. Burchard are sick. G. Hill is off duty on account of private business. All work in the Pittsburg planing mills.

Railroad officials dismiss employes more readily for non-payment of debts, which cause garnishments to be filed against them, than for most causes.

The Big Four railroad tax case, which has been on trial at St. Joseph Mich., for the last week, was decided Saturday against the railway company.

F. A. Knocke, an employe of the Bowser Oil Tank works, had a finger badly cut upon a washboard Saturday evening. Dr. Van Buskirk dressed the wound.

William Grace, of Logansport, is acting as express messenger and baggage man on the Wabash "plug" run ning between Lafayette and Fort Wayne a few days.

John Meyers is sick and George Reidmiller has recovered from a sickness. Both are employed in the Pittsburg freight house.

Machinist Mart Hobrock has been transferred from the back shop to the Pittsburg round house, to work at nights for a short time.

Albert Little has returned from a visit with friends in Defiance, Ohio, and this morning resumed his duties in the Pittsburg freight house.

Bert Sunderland, a Pittsburg brakeman, took his run out yesterday for the first time in three months. He had been troubled with sore eyes that length of time.

The iron machine department of the Pittsburgh car shops, which for two weeks was running on a fourteen hour per day schedule, this morning commenced on a twelve hour day.

Contractor Woebeking was the successful bidder for the contract to erect a house for John M. Cook, on West Butler street. Work will be commenced as soon as the weather will permit.

The freight "rush" is over and the Fort Wayne road is returning the borrowed engines. Nos. 688 and 693, from the Cleveland and Pittsburg road, and No. 182 from the eastern division of the Pittsburgh, were returned to those lines to day.

P. E. Albers, who was detained at home several days by the illness of his wife and her sister, resumed his duties in the Pittsburg tank shop today. He reports the patients much better, news which will be welcomed by a large circle of friends.

The case of the Horseshoe Nail company against the Panhandle has been venued from Marion to Wabash. The suit is for $10,000 damages, the claim being that the nail company's buildings were burned by sparks from a Panhandle locomotive.

Supt. E. A. Gould is better today and it now looks as though he would recover. The abscesses on his neck were lanced Saturday by Dr. Moorehouse, the company's chief surgeon, and from that moment the improvement in the patient's condition has been steady.

Henry Hilgeman was the lowest bidder for the Keifer building, which it is proposed to erect adjoining the Tri-State building on Clinton street this spring. The proposed structure will be three stories, with a stone front to correspond to the buildings adjacent thereto.

Hewes Piper, Jacob Weber, Frank Minnich, John Saunders, E. H. W. Dornte, J. Anderson, Joseph Carry, Lloyd Judy, John Fraine, Owen Barry, Terrence Martin and William Hayes Pittsburg shopmen, resumed work this morning after an absence for various reasons.

The snow fall at Chicago and for a short distance east of that city was considerable and at 6 o'clock this morning covered the ground to the depth of several inches. At that hour the Pittsburg got its snow plows out and commenced cleaning up the "beautiful" in the yards.

According to the New York Sun, limited tickets which have been altered by having the holes filled up with paraffin are very common nowadays. It is said that certain railroads have instructed conductors to test limited tickets by the use of the thumb nail so as to detect plugged holes.

The new order to Panhandle trainmen, which makes it the duty of the passenger brakemen to collect the tickets, is looked upon with suspicion by the conductors The reason assigned for the new order of things is to educate the brakeman so he could assume charge of the train in case of the sudden sickness of the conductor.

If the plans of the Illinois Central are successful the bulk of the grain traffic will soon be diverted from its present channels and reach the European markets through New Orleans, instead of New York. The ten east bound trunk lines out of Chicago will endeavor to prevent such a diversion of traffic, but President Fish, of the Illinois Central, says they cannot do it.

George W. Feeney, a locomotive engineer of the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore, who died at Wilmington, January 20, is said by local papers to have been in the service of the company more than forty years. He ran the engine which drew the train carrying Abraham Lincoln to Washington in March, 1861, and also the very fast train carrying Mrs. Garfield to Washington in July, 1881, when President Garfield was shot.

A Kansas judge says that "if a railway company suspend operations the land operated by its right of way reverts to the original owners." The Leavenworth, Topeka and Southwestern discontinued running trains in 1894, whereupon the owner of a large farm fenced in the strip which he had sold, amounting to ten acres, and when the company resumed operations and tore down its barriers he brought suit and was declared the owner by reversion.

J. H. Barrett, who last Saturday retired from the general superintendency of the Cleveland, Akron and Columbus road, has seen many years of railroad service, beginning on the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago. He was division superintendent of the Pittsburg, Cincinnati and St Louis for ten years and has been superintendent of various other roads in the west. For six years, beginning in 1886, he was on the Erie, being superintendent of transportation or general superintendent the greater part of the time.

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The following story must be true, because it happened two weeks ago at Austin and last week in Lake View.

Mr. Burton was aroused shortly after midnight by his wife, who said that little Freddie was coughing just as though he had the croup and for him (Mr. Burton) to go and bring the doctor.

Thereupon Mr. Burton aroused himself, and assisted by his wife got into his clothes. As his wife was helping him on with his overcoat she asked, "Thomas, have you your revolver?"

"No. Had I better take it?"

"I should think so. It's late, and the streets are fearfully dark."

She handed him the weapon, which he cautiously slipped into the side pocket of his overcoat, where he could keep his hand on it.

It was indeed a very dark night. He could barely discern the shapes of trees, fences and houses.

As he turned a corner he ran heavily against another man. They collided fully, and then Mr. Burton jumped backward, with his heart in his throat.

"Excuse me," said the man in the darkness, and he passed on.

Burton took a firmer hold on his weapon. Then he happened to think of something. He felt for his watch. It was gone. The fellow had bumped into him so as to slip the watch from his pocket.

Burton drew his revolver and ran after the robber, who began to run.

"Stop, or I'll shoot!" shouted Burton. The man stopped and leaned against a fence.

"Now," said Burton, with the revolver advanced, "you give me that watch."

The robber handed it over.

"Now you skip!" And the fellow ran.

When Burton reached home he was pale and excited, but quite exultant.

"A footpad ran into me and grabbed my watch," said he, "but I drew my gun and made him give it back."

"Why, Thomas," exclaimed his dismayed wife, "I took the watch out of your vest pocket before you started."

The doctor came in a half hour later.

He was agitated, and he explained that he had been called away on an urgent case at the time when Mr. Burton called at his house.

"And right at this next corner," he added, "I was held up by the most villainous looking highwayman you ever saw and robbed of my watch."—Chicago Record.

A Striking Story.

Carefully the two masked men climbed through the cellar window and up the stairs leading to the kitchen.

It was 55 minutes past midnight, and the big clock in the upper hall ticked on.

Skillfully avoiding two empty coal buckets that stood upon the landing, the midnight marauders crept steadily upward through a dimly lighted hall and up a second pair of stairs.

"Hist!" whispered the first burglar as a slight noise came to him.

"Hist, yourself," said the second, who had a boil on the back of his neck and didn't care to be ordered about.

"Be quiet," muttered the first. "I hear some one approaching." Then he crouched low to the wall and put his breath in his pocket.

The man with the boil only growled and refused to do as his partner asked. There was bad blood between them evidently. Perhaps it was in the veins of the man with a boil.

Suddenly there came a whirring, grating sound, and the two men, forgetting their differences, caught each other by the arm. The noise, right above their heads, increased, and the two law breakers turned pale with fear.

Then the clock struck 1.

And the other turned and fled into the darkness.

If it had only been an hour later, the faithful clock might have bagged both of the burglars, but it did its best.—Cincinnati Tribune.

Robbers Robbed.

An amusing incident occurred the other evening on the levee which should tend to improve the respectability of that portion of the city. A stout, plainly dressed man, apparently about 40 years of age, was walking briskly along under the trestle of the Daisy bridge when he was suddenly confronted by two negroes, one of whom, holding a pistol in his hand, commanded the pedestrian to "shell out." The suddenness of the attack was calculated to startle most men into compliance, but this stranger proved to be an exception to the rule. Without a word he struck the second negro a blow in the face which sent him to the ground in a heap, and seizing the barrel of the pistol in the hands of his other assailant after a short but fierce struggle he wrenched it from the negro's grasp. Springing back he covered both negroes with weapon and commanded them to stand up. The one on the ground got up in a dazed sort of way, while his companion explained, "We wuz only jokin with you, boss."

The stranger looked around in the hope of seeing a policeman, but as none was in sight he determined with a grim sense of humor to administer justice himself.

"Well," he said roughly, "I'll do a little joking. I am in need of pocket money myself, so you two rascals can do the shelling out."

So the two would be robbers under cover of the cocked revolver sullenly surrendered $1.20, which, together with the pistol, their victim placed in his pocket.

"Now, you two move on," he commanded, and the crestfallen negroes quickly disappeared.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

AMERICAN FABLES.

The Sage and the Young Man.

One day the sage was visited by a young man who had a look of sorrow in his eyes, and who pathetically cried out:

"Oh, sage, I want some of thy wisdom. I am young and innocent, and things get away with me."

"Yes, you are scarcely more than a downy kid," replied the sage after looking him over. "What particular thing do you want to be posted on?"

"Oh, sage, I have on several occasions picked up the frisky hornet, and in each instance I have burned my fingers."

"Got hold of the business end of the insect, eh?"

"I have, and with sad results."

"And now you want to know how to prevent such mistakes in the future?"

"That is my mission, oh, sage."

"My dear boy," said the sage after due reflection and a pull at the jug beside him, "there is one general principle that should guide humanity on its way from the cradle to the grave. Whenever you are in doubt which end is the business end of a hornet wait for some other fellow to do the picking up."

Moral.—You know what it is if you have been to law.—Detroit Free Pr

The Man In the Case.

"As a wife, the college girl is hard to beat."

The man with the hollow voice glanced over his shoulder and laughed nervously.

"True," he rejoined, with a palpable effort to be gay. "A friend of mine tried to beat one who was his wife, and she threw him into the coal bin. Yes."

There were not lacking those to boldly suggest that the man's friend was none other than himself.—Detroit Tribune.

Not the Same Kind.

Mrs. Dolan—Phwat do yez t'ink av women's rights, Mrs. Casey?

Mrs. Casey—It's me opinion, Mrs. Dolan, thot every woman should be able to make her mark at laste.—Brooklyn Life.

Where He Drew the Line.

The proprietor of the hotel, who was himself a fairly decent sort of fellow, came hurrying into the private office, whither the excited head waiter and the two newly registered guests who had assaulted him were waiting in the custody of the special officer of the establishment.

"Gentlemen," declared the proprietor, "such conduct is disgraceful. It so happens that there was nobody else in the dining room to see it, and so some measure of scandal is spared the house. But why did you strike the man?"

"Of course we apologize," said one of the pair, "and deeply regret the painful occurrence, but we were driven to it. When we first entered, one of your waiters seized my coat in such an awkward and precipitate manner as to break off two buttons, but I did not mind that especially. That was enthusiastic welcome. Then the man who took my friend's hat dropped it on the floor and accidentally stepped into it, but I am sure it was a mishap and unintended, so neither of us felt bitterly toward him. Then a third peace killer trod upon my freshly polished shoe and painfully compressed my toe, but no one would believe he had designed to do it. The person with my friend's hat in carrying it and his topcoat to the rack allowed the latter garment to trail across the floor, sleeves hindmost, but you could readily see he was still excited about the hat and was therefore excusable. But when at this moment the imperious head waiter appeared and called, 'Come this way, gents,' I just waited until he had unmistakably pronounced the word 'gents,' and when we were positive he had used the term we both fell upon him, as become men of self respect."

"He said 'gents?'" queried the proprietor, enraged.

"He did."

"Gentlemen, the apology is mine. I said my house had not been scandalized, but it has. Go, fellow," to the head waiter, "and know that you deserved tenfold what you got."—Chicago Record.

Ineffective Attempts.

Dr. Slade—Now, Mrs. Cusack, that your little son is convalescing from the fever, you should provide him with some cheerful amusement or mild recreation to wake up his enervated spirits.

Mrs. Cusack—I do try, doctor, but it don't seem to do any good. I've had him set out on the porch an watch the other boys stonin Chinymen an playin other games, but little Rankey don't 'pear to take no interest in any of 'em.—Chicago Record.

The Season.

"Ah, old man."

"Well, my boy."

"Come in and break a resolution with me."

"Don't care if I do."

There was a shudder in the air, as if there were others.—Detroit Tribune.

A Man of Promise.

Neighbor—Young Smithers is doin fine in New York city, I hear. He was a mighty promisin young man—

Miss Elders (tartly)—Yes, and if he don't be back here pretty soon makin some of them good he'll have a lawsuit on his hands!—New York World.

Skinner—Is Mr. Laylow one of your permanent boarders?

The Landlady—He is. I told him he couldn't leave until he had paid up.—Life.

Notice to Democrats.

In compliance with a resolution adopted at the democratic mass meeting held in the circuit court room January 15th, 1896, and unanimously endorsed at a regular meeting of the city central committee, an election has been ordered to take place in the various wards of the city on the 8th day of February, from the hours of 4 to 7 p. m. for the purpose of voting on the question of delegate or primary system, and the election of two committeemen from each ward.

Only democrats are qualified to vote at this election.

Voting places to be announced later.

ALLEN HAMILTON, Chairman.

JNO. N. ROHYANS, Secretary.

Mothers, Be sure and use "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for your children while cutting teeth. It is the best remedy of all. May 8eod&w

The Misses Harrison, of 22 Charles street, will give a phantom party this evening.

Beecham's pills are for biliousness, bilious headache, dyspepsia, heartburn, torpid liver, dizziness, sick headache, bad taste in the mouth, coated tongue, loss of appetite, sallow skin, etc., when caused by constipation; and constipation is the most frequent cause of all of them.

Go by the book. Pills 10¢ and 25¢ a box. Book *free* at your druggist's or write B. F. Allen Co., 365 Canal Street, New York.

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YOU WANT NICE RESPECTABLE roomers in your house, don't you? That is the class you will reach with an advertisement in THE SENTINEL. Fill your house with readers of THE SENTINEL and you will say you never had such nice people before. The advertisement will pay and so will they. Try them.

WANTED—A lady to do washing. No. 30 Clinton St. 3-2t

WANTED—A good second girl. at 99 East Wayne street. 31-tf

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Inquire 153 West Berry street. feb 3 3t

WANTED—Machine repair work to do at the shop, at No. 59 East Columbia street. 28tf

WANTED—Girl for second work, reference required. Mrs. Frank E. D. Keplinger, 256 Fairfield avenue. feb 3 3t

WANTED—Any one can borrow money on house furniture. See advertisement, front page, first column. 4-2t

WANTED—Washing to do at home. Will call for and deliver same. Call or address, Mrs. J. T., 149 Wallace street. 12tf

WANTED—Partner with $10,000 capital to invest in the largest express and storage business in Chicago. C. 25, care Lord & Thomas, Chicago. 30-6t

WANTED—Good business chance. Man with $1,000 and capable of office work can hear of good opening. Enquire for Hayner, No. 55 E. Columbia St. 1-2t

WANTED—Everybody to call on Madame Wing the only reliable clairvoint and fortune teller in the world. Office and residence, No. 98 Chicago street, Fort Wayne, Ind. Price, 50c. 26tf

WANTED—Young man, competent and reliable, desires clerical position. Several years' experience in stenographic and general office work. No. 1 credentials. Address, Clerk, 29 West Jefferson street.

WANTED—Young man to learn barber trade; constant practice furnished; only eight weeks required to complete. Situation in city or country, tools donated. Chicago Barber School, 54 Wabash Ave., Chicago. Illustrated catalogue mailed free. 31-3t

WANTED—A good live, progressive man to represent a good, live, progressive life insurance company, with a contract that can be sold. A man with a record of honesty and ability can make a very liberal contract either on salary or commission or both. Address, Manager, Sentinel Office. feb 3 2t

FOR RENT.

HAVE YOU ANY VACANT HOUSES OR flats? You can find tenants quickly with an ad in the colums of THE SENTINEL.

FOR RENT—One suit of unfurnished front rooms, at 106 E. Berry. 17-tf

FOR RENT—Money to loan on house hold goods, etc. See advertisement first column first page. 19-1t

FOR RENT—ROOM—A nicely furnished front room, with all modern conveniences, for two gentlemen or husband and wife, at 51 West Berry. feb 3 2t

FOR RENT OR SALE—After February 1st. Premises No. 241 Webster St.; corner lot, two-story brick, slate roof, seven room house; gas, well, cistern and waterworks. Inquire No. 153 Broadway. 29-4t

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SHOW CASES } At Manufactures' Prices, by G. E. Bursley & Co.

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FOR SALE—A light manufacturing business, 200 per cent on investment. A good opportunity for a party with small capital. Address, W. J. B., care of Sentinel.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One six-room house and lot at No. 5 Zollars avenue. will take monthly payments of $10 per month; 2 vacant lots in Devilbiss addition; 1 lot on N. Pontiac street; one horse 6 years old; one fire proof safe; one eight foot oval front show case; one two-seated top buggie; 1 set double harness. Will take in exchange a stock of groceries or other real estate property. D. J. SHAW, grocery and meat market, No. 21 Smith street. 24-1m

FARMS FOR SALE.

80 acres 4 miles from city $2,400.00.
140 acres, 8 miles from city, $2,500.00.
320 acres, 18 miles from city, $8,000.00.
160 acres in Jackson township, $4,500.00.
40 acres in Jackson township, $1,400.00.
40 acres, 8 miles from city, $1,250.00.
11 acres, 5 miles from city, $500.00.
26 acres, 2 miles from city, $3,000.00.
80 acres, 7½ miles from city, $3,000.00.
80 acres in Jackson township, $2,000.00.
48 acres, 5½ mile from city, with 10-room House, $5,000 worth of improvements, will sell or exchange for city property. Notes bought and sold. Money to loan, interest reasonable. ROMY & BOBILYA, room 22 Bank block. daw 16-2m

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Specialty—Diseases of Women.
Hours: 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. and 7 to 8 p. m.
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And we find in our

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120 lines of Suits with only one Suit to each lot. In our CHILD'S DEPARTMENT we find 94 lines in the same way—only one size to each lot, while in our BOYS' DEPARTMENT we have 73 lots in the same condition.

These Broken Lines must be out of our house before March 1st. The prices we will offer them at will do it.

Now is the time above all to buy a Suit for Man or Boy. Look over them. Special drives for your size.

You May Own Any of Them for Half Price.

Parents who have

CONFIRMATION SUITS

To buy this season, should take advantage of this sale, and call at once, as there are a great many lines adapted to Confirmation purposes. Sale will begin

WEDNESDAY MORNING,

But first comers will have best choice.

PIXLEY & CO.

Children's Diseases.

Nine tenths of them originate in the stomach. Senine regulates the stomach, insures perfect digestion, gives healthful natural rest and sleep, absolutely without opium. Cures colic, costiveness, sour stomach, worms, fevers, restlessness, irregular appetite, colds and diarrhœa. Controls the dangers of teething, allays feverishness, prevents convulsions and gives perfect health. Sold by Fresse & Ranke, J. N. Neuter, Gross & Pellens, Druggists—25 cents.

Coal, Coke, Wood and Egg Coal for Furnace use.

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All orders promptly delivered.
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Trains daily from Pennsylvania Station Fort Wayne, Ind.				
Fast Bound.			West Bound.	
‡ 1 50 a. m.			‡ 2 10 a. m.	
‡ 8 05 a. m.	From Chi.		‡ 7 45 a. m.	Limit
† 10 p. m.			† 10 a. m.	
‡ 1 45 p. m.			‡ 5 45 p. m.	
‡ 8 p. m.	Limited		‡ 12 m.	
‡10 35 p. m.	From Chi.		‡ 6 40 p. m.	

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DINING CARS serve breakfast and dinner on Nos. 5 and 3, and supper on No. 6. No. 1, supper at Cleveland. Nos. 3 and 4, dinner at Ft. Wayne. No. 4, supper at Bellevue.

Uniformed colored porters in charge of day coaches on through trains, insuring scrupulously clean cars enroute.

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★ Wabash R. R. ★

No.	GOING EAST.	Depart.
42.	N. Y. & Boston Limited, daily	4 08 a. m.
72.	Local Freight, Except Sunday	6 00 a. m.
44.	Kan. City & Toledo Ex., ex. Sun.	1 35 p. m.
14.	Fast Mail & Express, daily	7 30 p. m.
32.	Lafayette Ac., ex. Sunday	11 00 a. m.
	GOING WEST.	
43.	St. Louis Express, daily	2 05 a. m.
41.	Kan. City Limited Exp., ex. Sun.	1 25 p. m.
31.	St. Louis Limited, daily	8 30 p. m.
33.	Lafayette Ac., ex. Sunday	3 30 p. m.

FINDLAY, FORT WAYNE & WESTERN RAILROAD.

STATIONS.

Leave	EAST.		
Ft. Wayne Mxd.	8 15 am	2 30 pm	6 55 am
Haviland " "	11 05 am	3 36 pm	9 01 am
Cloverdale " "	12 35 am	4 07 pm	9 28 am
Ottawa " "	2 35 am	4 45 pm	9 01 am
Arrive.			
Toledo (C. H. & D.)	7 15 pm	10 45 am	
Findlay	4 15 am	5 20 pm	9 47 am
Arrive	WEST.		
Ft. Wayne Mxd.	10 40 am	7 00 pm	4 50 pm
Haviland " "	9 26 am	5 51 pm	3 55 pm
Cloverdale " "	9 06 am	5 19 pm	12 35 pm
Ottawa " "	8 30 am	4 43 pm	11 00 pm
Leave.			
Toledo (C. H. & D.)	6 45 am	2 57 pm	
Findlay	7 45 am	6 00 pm	2 35 pm

Trains arrive and depart from Wabash station, Fort Wayne. All trains daily except Sundays.

GRAND RAPIDS & INDIANA R. R.

GOING NORTH.	LEAVE.
*For Grand Rapids and North	2.30 am
	8.15 am
	2.55 pm
From Richmond	6.55 pm
SOUTHBOUND.	
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	5.45 am
	1.15 pm
From Grand Rapids	7.15 pm
From Grand Rapids	11.35 pm

*Daily.

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LAKE SHORE & MICHIGAN SOUTHERN RAILWAY—Fort Wayne Branch

SOUTHWARD.	ARRIVE
No. 402 Way Freight	8 55 pm
No. 454 Chi. Express and Mail	12 05 am
No. 410 Detroit & Ind'pls Express	3 05 pm
NORTHWARD.	DEPART.
No. 401 Way Freight	7 40 pm
No. 457 Toronto Express and Mail	11 45 am
No. 409 Detroit & Indianapolis Ex	4 pm

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Chicago depot, Clark and 12th streets.
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For rates and local trains daily except Sunday. Other trains daily.

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N. Y. & Boston Ex. No. 1	*8 55 am	*9 05 am
Cleveland Mail No. 4	11 50 pm	12 00 pm
Eastern Express No. 6	*2 20 pm	*2 30 pm
Local Freight	14 35 pm	17 30 am
WEST	Arr.	Dep.
Chicago Express No. 1	*1 55 am	*2 05 am
Chicago Mail No. 3	11 05 pm	11 15 pm
Western Express No. 5	12 45 pm	12 55 pm
Local Freight	14 20 pm	17 30 am

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WEDNESDAY, we expect to close the store for one day to take account of stock.

THIS GREAT COST SALE

Just closed has left many broken lines, many remnants, and we are going to have a

Two Days' Clearing Sale

In which EVERY REMNANT, EVERY ODD PIECE or PAIR of all goods remaining will be

SOLD AT A SACRIFICE.

This will include the Carpet Department,
The Curtain Department,
All Silk and Dress Goods,
All Cloths and Cassimeres,
Hosiery, Underwear,
Gents' Furnishing Goods,
Trimmings, White Goods, Etc.,

Every Remnant,
Every Thing in Single Pairs,

Be it BLANKETS, CURTAINS, PORTIERRES, RUGS, No matter how desirable,

WE SELL AT A SACRIFICE.

The past few days the receivers have been opening and getting ready car-loads of

NEW SPRING GOODS,

Which will be on display in a very few days after invoice. Due notice of opening will be given.

ROOT & COMPANY.

EVERYBODY GOES TO
THE PANTITORIUM,

To have their Clothing CLEANED, PRESSED, DYED and REPAIRED. Call up telephone 46 and they will call for your work.

16 ARCADE,
Miss JENNIE HAVERLY, Prop.

Sol. D. Bayless lodge will confer the third degree this evening.

The Happen-So club happened in at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Pickard on Friday evening.

MONEY TO LOAN

On real estate or personal security. C. F. PFEIFFER, rooms 6 and 7 Bass Block. 2tf

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A telephone from the house to the barn does not cost much, but is worth a good deal. EDMUNDS & LAW, Room 4, Schmitz Block. Telephone 262. 25t10

A pleasant dancing party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Connelly on Friday evening. A fine supper was served at midnight.

It's A Capital Place For Clothing. A Handy Place For Hats.

You've heard a deal lately about prices—cut prices, reduced prices, slashed prices, half prices, misfit prices, and so on—but did you ever hear of reversed prices? We're going to offer some heavy DERBY RIBBED MERINO UNDERWEAR at reversed prices this week. We're going to sell—not place on sale, for they'll go a humming—just 32 dozen.

96c.

Shirts and Drawers that are first-class in every respect and all sizes from 34 to 48 breast measure. We're going to reverse this underwear—or the prices rather—and sell them for

69c.

Our 1-4 Off Sale

On all Overcoats, Ulsters and heavy Double Breasted Suits closes at the end of this week. Don't put it off any longer; you'll pay regular prices after that.

Sam, Pete & Max.

The Evening Sentinel.

MONDAY, FEB. 3 1896

OUR TELEPHONES.

Business Office.....No. 173.
Editorial Rooms.....No. 650.

The Weather.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—For Indiana: Clearing tonight; Tuesday fair and cloudy, winds shifting to northerly.

NEWS NOTES.

Mrs. Edward Davis gave a thimble party Friday afternoon.

Friday evening Miss Agnes Fry, of East Washington street, gave a birthday party.

Mrs. Frank L. Hough and son are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hoinlen, of No. 128 West Butler street.

Ben Hur court, No. 15, Tribe of Ben Hur, will meet in regular session this evening at Harmony lodge hall, on West Berry street.

Mr. Shultz, of Root & Co.'s store, has been confined to his home on East Creighton avenue, for several days with an attack of grippe.

A few people ventured upon Reservoir lake yesterday and skated for a sort time. The ice was not good, but this seemed to be no discouragement to the skaters.

The official board and the congregation of the Wayne street M. E. church will meet tomorrow night, at which time the plans for the new edifice will be fully explained.

R. S. Patterson, of the firm of Golden & Patterson, was suddenly called to Geneva, N. Y., last night, by the serious illness of his uncle, J. D. Patterson, one of the leading business men of Geneva.

The Relief union during the month of January, 1896, has given fifty-one families groceries, thirty five clothing, furnished supplies for the payment of fifty men in the labor yard and thirty-five women in the work room.

A benefit entertainment will be given at Schroeder's hall this evening by the Sons of Veterans and soldiers' organizations for the benefit of a sick comrade of the G. A. R. and his family. The admission will be twenty-five cents.

W. Q. Judge, national president of the Theosophical society, who was in this city seriously sick for several weeks has recovered and left Saturday night for New York, accompanied by his wife. From New York they will proceed shortly to their home in Boston.

Saturday evening at his home on Madison street, Mr. Dan Marquardt was surprised, the occasion being his birthday. Cards and dancing were the features of the evening, and at 12 o'clock a three course supper was served. About twenty couples were present.

A wreck on the Big Four at Cambridge City, where that line crosses the Lake Erie and Western tracks, caused a delay of two hours in the arrival of the "Muncie" train from the south to-day. The Indianapolis mail comes on that train, and the delay was very annoying to the business men.

Rev. E. E. Frame, the pastor of the South Congregational church, began last evening a series of Sunday evening lectures on the history, doctrines and polity of the Congregational denomination. Rev. Frame is a practical and interesting talker and handles his themes in an instructive manner.

A surprise party was given in honor of Henry Kra't, at his home, 271 West Washington. Those present were: Misses Clara Miller, Sophia Klepper, Carrie Merz, Mable Barlow, Christena Howard and Myrtle Barlow, Messrs. Joe Gruber, Ike Clippinger, Joe Ashley, Harry Alderman, Ed. O'Neil and Henry Kra't.

Mrs. Lillian Hollister, supreme commander of the ladies auxiliary of the Maccabees, is holding a school of instruction in degree and other work. This afternoon she met with the ladies of Nos. 6 and 27 in the Fort Wayne I. O. O. F. hall, corner of Wayne and Calhoun streets, and this evening's session of the school will be held in Harmony hall, on West Berry street.

Prof. Wm. Miles, assisted by an orchestra and the church choir, rendered a most excellent musical program at the Plymouth Congregational church last evening. The individual special features of the program were "Pro Peccatis," by Mr. F. E Stouder; "Fac ut Portem," Miss Leo Long; "Inflamatus," Miss Long and Chorus; "Now, Heaven in Fullest Glory Shone," from the "Creation," Mr. C. J. Weber.

Owing to the great number of men and women who have been employed in either the work room or labor yard, the Relief union who furnishes the greater part of the supplies would like donations of clothing, men's, women's and children's. If possible, kindly send to the office, No. 144 Pritchard street, or notify by postal card, and they will be called for. They have an abundant supply of outside garments, unless of extra size.

Butter Down 1c.

Best No. 1 Country Roll Butter, 15c lb.
Good Jar Butter, 9c lb.
Fresh Country Eggs, 16c dozen.
Best Sugar Cured Hams, 10c lb.
Best Sugar Cured Shoulders, 7c.
Best Michigan Potatoes, 30c bushel.
FRUIT HOUSE.

Sol D. Bayless lodge No. 359 F. and A. M., will confer the third degree tonight.

Pine Apples for Tuesday Morning.

Nice Large Ripe Pine Apples, direct from Havana, 25c each.
Choice Jersey Cranberries, 8c quart.
Spanish Malaga Grapes, 18c lb.
Best Messina Oranges, 20c dozen.
California Naval Oranges, 35c dozen.
Extra Nice Lemons, 20c dozen.
FRUIT HOUSE.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. G. Schwartz, of Pine street, a bouncing baby boy.

A. I. Friend has gone east to buy goods and also to visit his old home in Maine.

There will be a meeting of Home lodge, No. 342, F. and A. M. to morrow evening.

Oliver L. Hartman was the leader of the Epworth league services at the Wayne street M. E. church last night and spoke interestingly on the topic, "Personal Work."

Louise Keefer has taken out a permit to erect a three story business building on lot 99, old plat, to cost $2,000. This will replace the building now occupied by the Turkish bath rooms, on Clinton street.

At the meeting of the Fortnightly club this evening Mr. H. W. Ninde will speak on the Silver question and Mr. Jacobs, Judge Zollars, Dr. Porter and Mr. Freeman will participate in the discussion.

Mrs. Katherine Geiger, an old lady over eighty-six years old, was stricken with paralysis Saturday and is lying at the point of death. She is at the home of her brother, Peter Veith, No. 265, East Wayne street.

Invitations have been issued for the marriage of Miss Mattie R. Raub, youngest daughter of Mr. Gustave Raub, to Mr. Philemon B. Colerick, on Wednesday afternoon, at 4 o'clock, at the home of the bride.

A letter addressed to the K. of L. of this city states that if Ava C. Welch, who is supposed to be in this city, wants to see his father alive, he should hasten to Kenton. The letter is dated from that point February 2.

Dr. Kretsinger is sitting up nowadays and his family is greatly encouraged by his improved condition. THE SENTINEL voices the sentiments of the public when it expresses the hope that the genial doctor will soon be able to attend to his business as of old.

Mrs. Hoenfels gave a delightful card party at the Randall hotel last evening. Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames Lamley, Julius Nathan, Sol. Rothschild, A. Hersch, Louis Wolf, M. Frank, Oppenheimer, Freiburger, Harry Jacobs, A. Mergenthiem, Sam Chaska, Mrs. Wolf, of Philadelphia, and Messrs. George Heller and Joe Aarons.

THE EMPIRE.

Ladies Free To-Night.

To-night, as usual, ladies will be admitted free at the Empire by presenting the coupons printed in Sunday's and to day's papers. Coupons must be of this week's issue. The manager has decided not to admit children in arms; owing to the large crowds children and young girls will not be admitted on coupons.

The attraction this week will be the Cassino Specialty company, a very high class vaudeville combination who have been drawing large houses in the east. The price of admission remains at 10 cents, no more, no less.

DON'T

Take Building and Loan Stock or Insurance before investigating

THE GERMAN-AMERICAN SAVINGS LIFE ASSOCIATION.

Payments monthly absolutely limited. No fines while out of employment, as time will be extended.

In case of death before twelve months double the amount you have paid in will be paid beneficiary; after twelve months the face value of the certificate.

For further information call at 12 E. Berry Street.

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JUST RECEIVED FROM NEW YORK.

New line of novelties in Embroidery materials.

Tea Rose and American Beauty shades in Filo Silks, something entirely new.

New and choice designs in Stamped Linens.

A fresh assortment of Stamping Patterns.

Lessons given in Art Embroidery at 25c an hour.

Orders taken for infants' outfits, fine hemstitching, etc., at very low prices.

Art Needlework Co.,
22 West Berry Street

Empire Theatre.
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WEEK COMMENCING FEB. 3.

Casino Specialty Co.

Admission Always 10 Cents,
No More--No Less.

Ladies Free Monday Night. Cut out Coupon and present at the door.

3. Empire Theatre.
Ladies' Complimentary Ticket.
Good Monday Night Only.
S. Children in arms not admitted. Children and girls not admitted on this coupon.

Four Remedies.

Four Remedies, (Homoeopathic) have been put in a neat case, with plain directions for their use, and they will be found to be of more value than any others for the cases specified.

NO. 1—will prevent colds, cure colds, loosen a cough, subdue fevers and cures neuralgia.

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NO. 3—cures indigestion, constipation and piles.

NO. 4—cures catarrh, and increases the appetite. For sale by Meyer Bros. and C. H. Woodworth, Druggists, Fort Wayne, Ind. Price $1.00. jan28-daw-1m

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Fresh Cut Flowers.

Tea Roses, $1.00, $1.50 and $2.00 per doz.
Carnations, 50c to 75c per doz.

Vesey's Greenhouses,
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HEATON BROS.

Postoffice Drug Store.

Dr. C. E. Heaton has sold his drug store to O. N. and Ben F. Heaton. The business will be continued at the same place, corner Berry and Clinton streets, under the personal management of Ben F. Heaton, assisted by skillful druggists. Handsome improvements will be made to this place of business and a complete stock will be carried. The new firm will be grateful to you for your patronage, which they will endeavor to merit.

Dr. Heaton has formed a co-partnership in the general practice of medicine with Dr. C. H. English, formerly of Wells county, Indiana, and their offices are conveniently located in neatly fitted rooms in the rear of the drug store. They have office and residence telephones.

Edmunds & Law have installed a telephone exchange at Oasian. Room 4, Schmitz Block. Telephone 262.

Edmunds and Law employ electricians. 1tf

Finest chocolates in the city, at the Chicago bakery. 12tf

Here is a Bargain.

A heavy carved claw-foot oak extension table, polished top, with two center legs, in 6 foot, for $7,50; 8 foot, $9; 10 foot, $10 50, at Fosters. It's a hummer.

Edmunds & Law's first figures are their last figures 1tf

Use White Loaf Flour and your bread will always be moist.

You can depend upon Edmunds & Law. 1tf

Morning Musical Notice.

A complimentary recital will be tendered the members of the Fort Wayne club by the Morning Musical, on Tuesday evening February 4, in the club hall, Each member of the Morning Musical is entitled to an escort.

M. BELLE CLARK, Cor. Sec.

Edmunds & Law will do your electric work promptly. 1tf

ARRESTED FOR KIDNAPPING

A large supply of Groceries at our store last week at the following low prices: All teas just half price. Young Hyson, 18c to 48c lb; Gunpowder, 28c to 40c lb; Oolong, black tea, 25c to 45c lb; Uncolored Japan, 18c to 48c lb; Best Tea Dust, 8c lb, Imperial tea, 40c lb.

Lion, Arbuckle and Jersey Coffee, 20c lb; bulk coffee reduced from 2c to 3c lb; nice, fresh, 1 lb Mackerels, only 8c apiece; best 8c Rice, now 4c lb; 10c Rice, now 7c lb; Vanilla Cream Syrup, 20c gallon, formerly sold at 30c; Corn meal, 4c sack; Buckwheat, 3c sack; all 5c soaps 3½c cake; Smoking and Chewing Tobacco reduced from 1c to 20c lb; Crackers, 3½c lb; Bulk Starch, 3½c lb; Oatmeal, 3c lb; Rolled Oats, 3c lb. Big reduction in all package Cereals. Best 12c Sugar Corn, 6c can; all other Canned Goods 1c to 8c per can cheaper. Queen Olives, 70c gallon; Sauer Kraut, 4c quart; Flour, 40c and 80c.

C. E. Noble & Co.,
256 Calhoun Street.

KEEPING IT UP.

OUR BIG COST SALE!

Of Men's and Boys' CLOTHING, CAPS at half price and

UNDERWEAR

At Cost. Will Continue until March 1st.

GOLDEN & PATTERSON,

Leaders of Fashion.
56 Calhoun Street. Opposite Court House.

Speaking tubes are not in it with the telephones sold by Edmunds & Law, Room 4, Schmitz Block. Telephone 262. 25t10

A RARE CHANCE.

Commencing January 14, for ten days only we will sell all $40, $35, $30 suits, or any suit in the store, for $22.50.

CHAS. J. ROMEIS,
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For Rent.

The double store room, 45 feet front, three stories high, on East Columbia street, occupied now by A. S. Johns & Co., saddlery; will be vacant in about a month; terms, $1,000 per year. Apply at the Fruit House. 31eod3t

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Commence the New Year on New Plans.

The $1 00 monthly plan known as the Tri-State Plan is the best plan in the state to borrow money on pay fast or slow. $1,000 for $10 per month.

Tri-State New Plan for Investors.

If you wish to save money take the A. A. stock. $1 per month. No membership fee. No fines. Call at office, cor. Berry and Court streets, for a maturity table, which will show you the value of your stock each month until maturity.

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C. A. WILDING, Sec'y.

RICHARDSON'S

Garment Cutting and Dressmaking School of Huntington, Ind.

Prof. J. L. Richardson, proprietor of Richardson's Garment Cutting and Dressmaking school, of Huntington, is in the city accompanied by a corps of assistants who will organize a garment cutting and dressmaking school at this place.

Mr. Richardson has a large school at Huntington, Logansport, Peru, Rochester, Wabash, Marion, Decatur, Warren, Elkhart and other points in this state. He comes highly recommended and will have a permanent school at 186 Montgomery street, hereafter, and will guarantee satisfaction to all pupils. Call on

REV. MRS. ELIZA ROBINSON,
General Manager,
186 Montgomery Street, City.

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Beginners Tuesday at 8 o'clock.
Advanced and social, Wednesday at 8.
Special attention given to the waltz.
Private lessons any time not occupied by the classes. For further particulars call at 217 E. Wayne Street.

THE BOSTON STORE.

ALL WINTER UNDERWEAR

Is to be sold at cost to close.

We have opened up a large line of New

Spring Dress Goods

At our usual low prices.

New Styles in SPRING GINGHAMS AND PERCALES at our usual low prices.
Special low prices on MUSLINS and SHEETINGS.

William Hahn & Co.,
THE BOSTON STORE.

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If you have any surplus money to invest, it will pay you to call and investigate our plans; we can satisfy the most critical.

No membership fee charged in this stock. A few good agents wanted.

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AT MORTON HALL,
Cor. Wayne and Calhoun Sts.

The teachers will meet any who desire to take Dancing, morning, afternoon or evening.

BEGINNERS—Monday and Wednesday evenings.
ADVANCED—Tuesday and Friday evenings.
JUVENILE CLASSES—Saturday afternoon.
Private classes may be formed and may have an evening to themselves, as we have full control of the hall.
Private Lessons at any time.

FARNAN DANCING ACADEMY.

Telephone Notice.

The Home Telephone Company composed entirely of Fort Wayne people, has contracted to supply its service to over 700 hundred people at rates 40 per cent. lower than a like service has ever been furnished in this city. We are still making contracts and request all persons to see us before becoming bound for any other service.

Each subscriber will have his own individual wire, insuring absolute privacy to all of his telephone messages.

The Home Telephone and Telegraph Co.

ALTERATION SALE!

Our Store Will be Remodeled!

The Ringing of the Hammer and the Hissing of the Saw to be Heard in a Few Days, and Revolution to Run Riot at

THE BELL CLOTHING STORE!

And the Sensational **ALTERATION SLAUGHTER SALE** Goes Into Effect

MONDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 3rd, 1896.

The contract for the Store Alteration has been let, and the work of tearing out the old **Fixtures will** begin March 1st. **WE MUST HAVE ROOM,** the workmen say, and the only way to give it to them is to sell the Goods and get them out of the House.

Come And Help Us, And By Doing so Help Yourself!

We have put Prices down on the Goods so as to make things move.

LISTEN!

Men's Overcoats that were $7, $8 and $9, ALTERATION PRICE, $3.00.

Men's Overcoats that were $10, $11 and $12, ALTERATION PRICE, $5 00.

Men's Overcoats that were $15, $18 and $20, ALTERATION PRICE, $7.50.

Men's Suits that were $8, $9, $10 and $12, ALTERATION PRICE, $5.00.

Men's Suits that were $14, $16, $18 and $20, ALTERATION PRICE, $7.50.

Children's Suits that were $2 50, $2 75 and $3 00 ALTERATION PRICE, $1.40.

Children's Suits that were $3 25, $3 50 and $4, ALTERATION PRICE, $1.98.

Children's Overcoats that were $1.50, $1.75 and $2, ALTERATION PRICE, 75c.

Children's Overcoats that were $2 25, $2 50 and $2 75, ALTERATION PRICE, $1.50.

MEN'S PANTS.

Men's Working Pants that were $1.50, ALTERATION PRICE, 92c.

Men's Worsted Pants that were $1 75, ALTERATION PRICE, 97c.

Men's Cassimere Pants that were $2 50, ALTERATION PRICE, $1.24.

READ!

MEN'S HATS.

All there is left of our regular $1 Men's Soft Hats, ALTERATION PRICE, 49c.

All there is left of our regular $1 50 Fedoras, black and brown, ALTERATION PRICE, 88c.

All there is left of our regular $2, $2 50 and $3.00 Men's Fedora, Pasha or Stiff Hats, ALTERATION PRICE, $1.25.

UNDERWEAR.

All thats left of our regular 37c, 39c, 44c, 48c and 50c Shirts or Drawers, ALTERATION PRICE, 25c.

All that's left of our regular 68c, 74c, 88c and 92c Shirts or Drawers, ALTERATION PRICE, 50c.

GLOVES.

25c Men's all wool Scotch Gloves, including all our 50c ones, ALTERATION PRICE, 25c.

48c. Those heavy lined Dogskin Gloves, for dress and street wear, that we sold at 75c and 89c, ALTERATION PRICE, 48c.

98c. Here go all our finest wool lined Gloves in fine kid, colt skin, dog skin, etc; some of 'em sold as high as $2 50, others $1 50 and $2, ALTERATION PRICE, 98c.

Men's regular 45c Working Shirts, ALTERATION PRICE, 25c.

THE BELL,

S. H. EPSTEIN & BRO. 18 Calhoun Street. **S. H. EPSTEIN & BRO.**

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George P. Rowell & Co., the leading authority on newspaper information says: "The Fort Wayne Sentinel, published at Fort Wayne, has the largest circulation accorded to any daily in Indiana, outside of Indianapolis.

The Fort Wayne Sentinel.

LIGHT out of DARKNESS.

That memorable story by Mrs Henry Ward Beecher, will appear in THE SENTINEL, commencing Tuesday, February 4th. Look for it. Read it. . . . . .

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NOTICE!

The last week of our . . . .

GREAT COST SALE.

Don't put off seeing our goods today, with the idea that tomorrow will do as well. Tomorrow and the next day, and every day of this week will be crowded with special opportunities for thrifty buying, not one of which you will want to miss.

GEO. DeWALD & CO.

LOANS. LOANS.
Ten Thousand Dollars
To Loan in Sums of
$10, $15, $20, $30, $50, $100, $200,

Or any amount you may wish, on furniture, pianos, organs, cows, horses and wagons, bicycles, store fixtures, machinery, storage receipts, or any other available security.

Everything left in your possession undisturbed and you still have the use of the money. You can pay it back weekly or monthly installments as you may find it most convenient.

All business strictly private and confidential.

Loans made the same day you apply for it.

Real Estate Loans made also.

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Baking Powder.
A PURE CREAM TARTAR PRODUCT
25c per Pound.
Manufactured and Sold by . . . . . .
FREESE & RANKE,
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Our spring stock of
BABY CARRIAGES
Now ready. Greatest line you ever saw. Handsomest styles, best make, and lowest prices.
Sole agents for the great Whitney Carriages.
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From $9.90 up. The only Sleeping Coach that isn't clumsy and ugly looking.
We sell more BABY CARRIAGES than all other Fort Wayne houses combined.
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We are now selling . . . .
ALL HAIR ORNAMENTS AT COST.
Having just before the holidays received all Latest Designs. It will pay you to purchase now.
Switches from $1.00 up.
Miss E. C. Rodenbeck,
29 E. Washington Street.

WE
Have a large and well selected stock of high class Canned Fruits, Preserved Fruits, Jams and Jellies, Canned Vegetables, Etc., Etc.
Our TEAS are of fine flavors and superior drinking qualities.
COFFEES. - - -
If you want Coffee at wonderful prices, try our 30c grade, it has host's of friends. Meat department is where you get the very choicest of Fresh and Smoked Meats in the city. Also dressed poultry, etc.
Pfeiffer & Rousseau,
40 and 44 W. Berry St. Phone. 378.

PERILS OF THE DEEP.

Thrilling Experience of a Ship-Wrecked Party.

Fire Breaks Out in the Hold of the Parthia and the Crew Abandon the Vessel.

PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., Feb. 3.—The ship, Louis Wlash, from Callao, brought two of the crew, Steward Chase and Cook Mitchell, from the ship, Parthia, which was burned at sea several weeks ago, 300 miles southwest of Juan Fernandez island. The Parthia was coal laden from Liverpool to San Francisco. The first intimation that the ship was afire was when a dense volume of smoke burst through the main hatch. Knowing the coal was full of gas and apprehensive lest an explosion should occur, three boats in charge of Captain Carter and his first and second mate respectively were launched and well provisioned. The same afternoon, when the boats were three miles distant, the ship blew up and sank. Spontaneous combustion was the origin of the fire. Four days the three boats remained together, when a storm came on and the second mate's boat was lost sight of. The water filled the boats and all the crew could do was to keep them baled out. Then it was necessary to throw overboard all the men's clothes and nearly all the provisions. The captain and first officer's boats reached Juan Fernandez Island and from there they were taken to Valparaiso by a Chilian man of war.

The second mate's boat had a severe time and was sixteen days reaching Valparaiso. For six days they were without water and food. David Jones, an American actor, who was a passenger, became insane and was tied down for two days, when he died and was buried at sea. The other occupants almost despaired of reaching shore and were considering the advisability of resorting to extreme measures, when a wind sprung up and quickly carried their boat to Valparaiso, where the crew was taken ashore unconscious and nearly dead.

LANDMARK GONE.

Unitarian Church on Meeting House Hill Burned.

The Historic Structure Completely Demolished—Four Brave Firemen Severely Injured.

BOSTON, Feb. 3.—The historic First Unitarian church on "Meeting House Hill," Dorchester, a familiar land mark and the oldest church in the district, was destroyed by fire today. The loss is estimated at $30,000, but this amount is covered by insurance. The most valuable appurtenances of the church, which were kept in the vestry at the rear, were saved. A new organ, presented to the church by Deacon Henry Humphrey in 1892, which was directly above the place where the fire started and the clock and chime of bells in the tower, were a total loss. Four firemen were injured by a falling wall on the east side which completely enveloped them but they were rescued by their comrades. The injured are

Captain Blanchard, severely burned and internal injuries.

Fireman Hoyt, wrist broken and burned.

Samuel Ridler, burned about head and internal injuries.

John Gavin, bad scalp wound.

WOMEN AS COLLECTORS.

Merchants Give Their Bad Bills to Missionary Societies.

AKRON, Ohio, Feb. 3.—A novel plan of collecting bad debts and getting some satisfaction from dead beats has been agreed upon by the merchants of Cuyahoga Falls. Each has agreed to present to the women's missionary societies all old bills which are regarded as worthless. The women will make an attempt to realize on the accounts, and are sanguine of getting a nice sum of money out of them. Instead of collectors, prominent women will wait on the slow pay people and by appealing to their better natures hope to make them pay.

COIT FOUND NOT GUILTY.

Jury Exonerated Militia Commander After Being Out Three Days.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Feb 3.—The jury in the Coit case at Circleville returned a verdict of not guilty. The jury was out three days. Col. A. B Coit was indicted for manslaughter by the grand jury of Fayette county. He commanded the militia which fired into the mob at Washington Court House in October, 1894. The trial was begun before the holidays. The verdict is of vital interest to the national guard of the state.

ON THE RAMPAGE.

The Brazos River Plays Havoc With Shipping Interests.

FORT WORTH, Texas, Feb. 3.—The Brazos river is still rising at Columbia. It rose fifteen feet in twenty hours and its current is equal to that of a mountain stream. Seven vessels belonging to the Columbia Transportation company were swept away. The river is now out of its banks and is sweeping over the surrounding country. Near Navasota the Brazos and Navasota rivers have united and are twelve miles wide. Two miles of the Santa Fe railroad track is submerged.

LUMBER TRADE BOOMING.

China Sends Agents Here to Buy Our Saw Mill Products.

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 3.—An agent of the Chinese government has come to the coast to place and order for about 50,000,000 feet of lumber. Most of it is intended for the construction and repair of government buildings. The agent says indications are good for a healthy revival of the lumber trade throughout China and Japan this and next year.

FREE SILVER OR BONDS.

The House Refers the Free Coinage Substitute

Bill to the Ways and Means Committee—Will Be Reported Back Tomorrow.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—The senate free coinage substitute for the house bond bill was referred to the ways and means committee as soon as it reached the house today. Under the rules a motion to concur could not be made. It will be reported back tomorrow or Wednesday with the recommendation that the house non concur and insist upon its bill. Mr. Singley, chairman of the ways and means committee, says that "reasonable time" for debate will be allowed. The silver men are asking for two days in which to discuss the bill. The fate of the substitute is so well assured that the house program excites almost no interest except for the fact that it will furnish the first direct test of the free silver vote at from 100 to 125, the latter figure being the limit prophecied by the most sanguine silver democrats. Mr. Hartman, of Montana, predicts that the republican vote for the silver substitute will be thirty-five or forty, and Mr. Bailley, of Texas, says that about 70 of the 105 democrats in the house can be relied upon to support any free silver proposition These estimates are based on the supposition of a full attendance which may not materialize, for there are many absentees this week. There are several southern republicans, new members, who are an uncertain factor upon the financial question Silver men are preparing speeches upon the financial question and are anxious for a much longer debate than the opponents of free coinage.

BOYCOTT MOVE.

The Goods in Question are Bicycle Supplies.

The International Polishers Ask the American Federation of Labor to Take the Matter Up.

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb 3.—William Cowell, of Toledo, Ohio, secretary of the International Polishers, is in consultation today with the executive council of the American Federation of Labor, asking for endorsement of the action of the polishers in declaring the Overman goods, manufactured at Chicopee Falls, Mass., to be "unfair," as that factory employs non-union help The executive committee has agreed to so declare and information to this effect will be sent to the association of the federation. The goods in question are bicycles and bicycle supplies.

THROUGH THE HEART.

Stephen B. French Takes His Own Life.

Worries Over Business Matters Until His Mind Becomes Deranged and He Shoots Himself.

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—Former Police Commissioner Stephen B. French, committed suicide to day by shooting himself through the heart. For some time Mr. French has been moody and despondent, and recently told his wife that he was worried over business matters. At another time he said to MRS. French, "You would be better off if I were not here." His friends have observed that both in appearance and in conversation Mr. French was not quite himself. So far as is known there was no adequate cause for his suicide.

BERLINER PATENT.

Its Validity up for a Hearing in the Supreme Court.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—In the United States supreme court today the solicitor general moved to advance the hearing of the telephone case involving the validity of the Berliner patent to an early day in the next term. It was important, he said, to secure an early disposition of the case, saying that the Bell telephone receiver having become public property, the Berliner and Edison patents are the only obstacles in the way of the free use of the the microphone transmitter in practical form, and that with these patents out of the way the telephone would become so much cheaper that its use would be widely extended.

As if catarrh is not bad enough by itself. Those who suffer from it are often tormented by a cough, due to irritation of the throat by the catarrhal discharges from the nasal passages. The torment ceases after a few doses of Ely's Pineola Balsam, which cures with nature's own remedies, the gums and balsams. It is healing to raw, tender throats. Asthmatic patients find that it makes their breathing much easie and their spasms less severe. To free yourself of catarrh use Ely's Cream Balm.

Arthur, the five years old son of Mr. and Mrs Harry McMullen, is recovering from a serious illness. He was sick several days and then the malady developed into nose bleed This continued for three days, but yesterday the little fellow showed signs of improvement and now he is getting along nicely.

MAMMOTH TRUST

Which Controls the Lumber Interests of the Pacific Coast.

It Will Regulate the Products of the Mills and Also Lumber Shipped to Foreign Ports.

PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., Feb. 3.—The biggest trust ever formed on the Pacific coast, and representing a capital of over $70,000,000 has been consummated and went into effect last night. It is the Central Lumber company of California and its membership includes every lumber mill, all ship owners, wholesale and retail dealers of the western coast of the United States and British Columbia. All charters of vessels and sales of lumber must be effected through the Central Lumber company, which regulates freight and puts the buying and selling price on all lumber, regulating also the product of each mill and the proportionate amount of lumber each vessel shall carry during the year. Not only are the markets of the Pacific coast thus controlled, but the lumber shipments to foreign countries are placed under the same restrictions. Every mill on the coast has its product regulated. In Puget Sound the daily output is 1,400,000 feet, in the same proportion every other lumber mill on the coast is regulated, but the regulations do not apply to shipments by rail to eastern points. The first order issued by the company was to advance the price of lumber $2 per thousand. Last year the estimated product of the coast was 600,000,000 feet, and the advance will enhance the profits of the mill owners the coming year over $1,000,000 The deal was made to include manufacturers dealers and freight carriers. Members of the trust claim they have been manufacturing lumber for several years at actual cost, and that the dealers in foreign and coast wise markets were reaping all the profits. Under the new prices, they say, the employes will be paid better wages and the timber men receive higher profits for their logs. Although capitalized at $10 000,000, no other corporation on the Pacific coast controls such vast interests More than 150 ocean sailing vessels come under their control.

GRAVE ROBBERS

Frightened Away Before Accomplishing Their Purpose.

The Coffin Lid Was Broken and the Body Had Been Pulled Half Way Out.

MORRISTOWN, IND, February 3.—Mrs. Elizabeth Dennis died last Tuesday of paralysis and was buried in the Shiloh cemetery, four miles north of here. Yesterday persons passing noticed that the grave had been disturbed. Investigation showed that a hole had been dug as far as the box covering the coffin and this and the glass door of the inner casket were broken with a heavy scantling. Then the grave robbers attempted to pull the remains out at the opening, but were evidently frightened away before accomplishing their purpose. The right arm, shoulder and the head were found protruding from the opening.

A PRACTICAL JOKE

Turns Out to be a Serious Matter for a Young Man.

A young man named Mason was painfully injured Saturday evening by the explosion of a gun like contrivance with which some fellows were playing jokes on some others. The thing was loaded with powder, and when one of the jokers struck another person with the "paddle" end of it the powder would explode like a shotgun. Mason received the powder and gun wads in his leg. The accident happened on East Columbia street. Mason was taken to his rooms at the residence of Victor A. Hugerard, No. 61 East Superior street, where Dr. Maurice Rosenthal attended him.

THE WORKING GIRLS.

Program of Their Entertainment at A. O. U. W. Hall This Evening.

Following is a program of the entertainment and hop to be given this evening in A. O. U. W. hall, on the corner of Calhoun and Superior streets, by the Working Girls' union:

Instrumental	Miss Louisa Kagnet
Address	Mr. J. M. Robinson
Recitation	Miss Ada S Butler
Song, by request	Mrs. Lindsey
Recitation	Miss Myrtle McVay
Guitar Solo	Miss Ada Miller
Recitation	Miss Nellie Brown
Song	Miss Laura Regent
Duologue	By Eleven Union Girls
Tableau.	

Mr. I. H. Case, of the Kimball Piano company, has kindly donated the use of a piano for the social.

MYRIADS OF GHOSTS.

Undertook to Investigate the Secret of a Haunted House.

PERU, Feb. 3.—The report which has been current for some days to the effect that a house in this city was haunted was investigated by a party of people, who report all kinds of strange noises and tapping which were very mysterious and could not be accounted for and that the grand finale came by a grand scare by the whole army of ghosts, which so frightened the crowd that they rushed from the house, and, it is claimed, some of them are still going, but the ghost still holds forth waiting new victims

Advance Prices.

PITTSBURG, Pa, Feb. 3.—The Wire Nail Manufacturers' association has addressed a circular letter to jobbing trade, giving notice of another advance in prices of fifteen cents per hundred weight. This will change the base rate from $2 25 to $2.40 per hundred weight, which is the highest price asked for wire nails in many years. Only a year or so ago the base price was eighty five cents.

SPANISH CRUELTY.

Are as Barbarous as the Kurds in Armenia.

Killed Defenseless Women in the Streets and Shot Prisoners in Cold Blood.

KEY WEST, Fla, Feb. 3.—Sometime ago, when the insurgents entered Sabanilli, the Spanish officials report states that they were driven out by the garrison and that "unfortunately three women were killed by stray bullets." The truth of what happened there has just been learned and it shows the Spaniards are acting in as barbarous manner as the Kurds in Armenia.

Sabanilli, which is an important town in Matanzas province, was entered by 400 insurgents under Garcia. The Spanish regulars retreated to the barracks and made no resistance The Spanish volunteers, however, retreated to the church and fired on the insurgents. The insurgents returned the fire, killing five volunteers. The volunteers then ceased firing.

The inhabitants received the insurgents joyfully and many poor people who had eaten nothing but cane were fed by Garcia, who made the merchants open their stores, and told the people to take food. Thirty stores were looted of provisions, and one storekeeper was shot for resisting The insurgents then retired

As soon as they were gone the Spanish volunteers came out of the church and opened fire on the people in the streets. Forty six were killed, thirty of whom were women and children, their only offense being the reception of the insurgents and taking food to save themselves from starvation. After shooting these people the volunteers took ten Cubans who had surrendered, on promise of amnesty, and shot them in cold blood.

Two thousand men, women and children have reached Matanzas from Sabanilli. They fled, fearing further massacres by the Spanish volunteers.

These are facts vouched for by Mayor Juan Galvez, of Sabanilli, who is in Havana to ask General Marin to punish the volunteers.

NO EXTRA SESSION.

Gov. Matthews Not to Take Steps for a New Apportionment.

Believes That the Eligibility of the Holdover Senators Should Not Be Questioned.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Feb. 3.—The probability of an extra session of the legislature to settle the complications growing out of the recent decision of the supreme court on the apportionment act was peremptorily settled today by Governor Matthews, who authorizes the statement that he will not call the general assembly together, and that his resolve in this respect is fixed. In doing so he expressed the opinion that the election of the next members of the legislature should be under the law of 1885

'I have decided that I will not call a special session," said Governor Matthews, 'and this is a matter which I alone can decide. The question regarding the eligibility of the hold-over senators, however, is not within my province, and I give it only as a matter of opinion that their eligibility should not be questioned. I believe, also, that the next legislature should be elected under the law of 1885, though I cannot say, of course, what may be done. In no event, however, will I call a special session."

NEARLY BLIND!

Rev. Joseph Cook Suffering from Nervous Prostration.

Will Be Taken to Lake George Where It Is Hoped He Will Recover.

ROCHESTER, N. Y, Feb. 3.—Joseph Cook, of Boston, who recently returned from Australia and Japan, is at the sanitarium, Clifton Springs, suffering from an acute form of nervous prostration.

He is nearly blind, owing to a weakness of the optic nerve. He will be taken to his cottage at Lake George early in the spring, where it is hoped he will recover.

TWO MILLIONS LOST.

Fire Destroys Big Buildings in Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Feb. 3.—Chestnut street, above Broad, was visited early yesterday morning by one of the fiercest fires this city has known for years. The seven story building of Charles H. Haseltine, 1416 and 1418 Chestnut street, and the adjoining five-story structure of the Baptist Publication society and the American Baptist Historical society were destroyed. The buildings damaged by fire and water and falling walls were the four story dry goods house of Homer, Le Boutillier & Co., 1412 and 1414, the dwelling at 1422 owned by the Wistar estate and the Hotel Lafayette at Broad and Sansom streets. On either side of the main entrance to the Haseltine building were the piano warerooms of Hallet & Davis at 1416, and of Steinway & Co. at 1418. The two Baptist societies lost large and valuable collections of paintings, books and curios. The detailed losses are estimated as close to $2,000,000. It is thought that this is covered by insurance.

FOUND TRACKS

Of the Grave Robbers Who Were in Lindenwood.

William Walde Goes Over the Route Through the Cemetery—John Aiken's Discovery.

There can be no further doubt that the story told by William Walde, jr., in regard to the experience he had with grave robbers in Lindenwood cemetery, is absolutely correct. Walde has told of the occurrence several times and under various circumstances which would have certainly caused him to mix up the narrative, at least in some particular or in some detail, but this he has never done Each time the story is the same. This, as every fair minded person must concede, would be an impossibility if Walde was telling a story which he had manufactured with the aid of his imagination.

Every new development in the matter goes to prove the truth of the story As stated in THE SENTINEL Saturday Walde agreed to make a detailed sworn statement to Prosecutor Doughman and Deputy Prosecutor Aiken. This promise he fulfilled Saturday evening. He went to Prosecutor Doughman's office and made his statement so clear and straight, and made an affidavit to its truthfulness, that the prosecutor and deputy are both fully convinced that he saw exactly what he described

After the statement had been taken Prosecutor Doughman said to a SENTINEL reporter

"Walde is telling a perfectly straight story. He saw the grave robbers, the corpse and everything else just as he says he did. His story is the same as published in THE SENTINEL Officers of the cemetery association were confident that when it came to the test the young man would flinch, but he has not done so"

Deputy Prosecutor Aiken said: "We were unable to get Walde tangled up in making his statement, therefore I am positive he has told the truth. He told it to us as it was published in THE SENTINEL, with the exception of a few minor details. My theory is that the grave robbers were not Fort Wayne people, but that they came from some other city, may be Chicago, and expected to get the body, place it in a trunk and then get away on one of the night trains."

In order to obtain, if possible, more information about the case, Walde was asked by THE SENTINEL to accompany two reporters of this paper to Lindenwood cemetery and point out the route he took through the grounds and locate, if possible, the grave which had been desecrated. He readily consented and went out with the two SENTINEL men.

He found the place where he climbed the fence and entered the cemetery from the road. From that point he started over the hills through the cemetery, following, as nearly as he could remember the same route he took on the night in question. When he had reached a place where there were three new graves only a short distance apart he stopped and remarked.

"Here is where it happened. I am not positive which grave it was but I think it was that one," and he pointed toward a particular grave. Continuing he said: "I was so badly frightened that I am afraid it would be impossible for me to tell exactly which one it was"

From the three graves he was asked to follow the route taken by himself and the two grave robbers to the fence and then to the creek into which the latter dumped about a half bushel of dirt which they were unable to use in filling up the grave. He traced the route carefully and later went over it again, both times exactly alike.

Whether or not the graves or any of them had been disturbed, of course, cannot be told, although each one of the visiting party formed his own conclusion.

The result of the trip was that Walde proved conclusively that he had been in the cemetery at the time he said he was.

Just after Walde had left Lindenwood and started back to the city and before THE SENTINEL reporters departed Deputy Prosecutor Aiken arrived at the cemetery. He wanted to make a thorough investigation of the matter and gather any clues that he could discover.

THE SENTINEL reporters took him to the place where the three graves were located and he made a careful examination of every one, taking note of all the surroundings and every feature that was at all suspicious.

He climbed over the west fence at the point where Walde went over on the way to the creek. Mr. Aiken at once commenced a scrutiny of the soft, damp ground for footprints. He had not looked long until he struck a trail The footsteps of three men were plainly visible, and they led from the fence, at the exact point designated by Walde, direct to the creek and to the exact spot where Walde said the men had dumped the dirt into the stream. From that point Mr. Aiken easily followed the same footprints straight along the bank of the creek to the fence along the Huntington road, where Walde says he and the grave robbers entered the wagon and drove away.

Tracks were also found and followed which led from the Huntington road fifty yards west of Lindenwood, to the west fence of the cemetery These showed where two men had walked, and it is safe to say that they were the tracks of the two body snatchers as they went to their work.

These tracks were all old. They had been made several days ago and they were perfectly plain and distinct. The discovery of them fully convinced Deputy Prosecutor Aiken that the attempted grave robbery actually occurred just as Walda described it They corresponded fully with the routes Walda had pointed out

After finishing his investigation Mr. Aiken remarked to THE SENTINEL reporters "The Cemetery association owes it as a duty to itself and to the public that it shall spare no pains to run this matter down to the bottom I think some of these graves should be opened so we could tell whether or not they have been disturbed."

Yesterday a great many people visited Lindenwood cemetery, some through curiosity and others to see whether or not the graves of their friends or relatives had been disturbed. One or two parties had graves opened yesterday for the latter purpose, but they were in an entirely different part of the cemetery. They were found to have been untouched.

Prosecutor Doughman and Deputy Aiken say that nothing will be left undone to fathom the matter clear to the bottom

THE SENTINEL has been informed, upon what should be the best of authority, that there is in Fort Wayne a man who for a number of years has followed grave robbing as a business. This man is said to live on East Lewis street. Our informant says he made overtures to the faculty of the Fort Wayne Medical college to furnish bodies to the college for $25 a piece The faculty declined the offer, because the college is supplied with cadavers sufficient for their use in the legal and legitimate manner Whether or not this professional body snatcher was mixed up in this case is not known.

A MISSING MAN.

Henry Leib Mysteriously Disappears From Home.

He Had Trouble Over Property and Relatives Fear He Has Committed Suicide.

Chris Dieberling, who lives on the corner of Clay and Madison streets, called at the police station this afternoon and reported that Henry Leib, an old man, had been missing from home since last night at 7 o'clock.

Dieberling said Lieb was his uncle. The latter is about seventy-nine years of age He has been having some difficulty of late over some property and the family are fearful that he has wandered away and committed suicide. Leib lived with the Dieberling family at the place mentioned above. He is a plasterer by trade

Dieberling informed the police that they should say that he would pay a reward of $25 for information that will disclose the whereabouts of the old man and lead to his return home The family are very much worried over his disappearance and are using every effort to find him

DELIGHTFUL BANQUET.

Insurance Agents Royally Feasted at the Randall Hotel.

A pleasant event, indeed, was the banquet given at the Randall hotel Saturday night to the agents of the Prudential Insurance company in the Fort Wayne district. It is the custom of the company to give a complimentary banquet each year to its Fort Wayne agents, this being the third one which has been served at the popular Randall.

The dining room was a bower of beauty. The huge table was decorated with potted plants and natural cut flowers. Landlord "Dick" served the banquet in ten courses and it was a magnificent spread and one which delighted all present.

Toasts were responded to as follows.

The Ordinary Branch	C F Houghton
The Industrial Branch	C L Williams
The Medical Examiner	Dr E W Sturr
Our Agents	J C Prows
The Detached Asst Supt	G H Keefer
Trials of the Agent	M Sullivan
Our Asst Supt.	L E Keefer
What I Know About Insurance	H Dinnin
The Successful Agent	N J Nichoff
Collections	J C Williams
The Prudential	H F Hamburg

The affair was under the management of H. F. Hamburg, of this city, superintendent of this district. Those present were H F. Houghton, assistant superintendent, E. J. McOscar, medical examiner, M. Sullivan, F. T. Williams, N. I Nicholf, G. W. Clee, B. Collins, C. L. Williams, H. Duncan, W. F. Fleming, A L. Cartwright, E. Shellabarger and E. Nicholf, of Fort Wayne, T. J. Prows, assistant superintendent, E E Keefer, N. G. Hildebrand and J. E. Pilcher, of Huntington, G. H Keefer, assistant superintendent, Dr. E Horton, medical examiner, and A. W. Rolf, of Bluffton.

TWO VICTIMS LIKELY TO DIE.

No Explanation of the Poisoning of a Family in Rochester, N. Y.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb 3.—The condition of Martin Lynn and his wife, who were found unconscious in their residence yesterday suffering from the effects of poison mysteriously administered, still remains unchanged. At midnight they had not recovered consciousness The children are out of danger. It is thought by some that the poison may have been administered by Miss Lynn, the sister, who was found in the house dead, while she was suffering from mental unsoundness, brought about by her diseased condition

Philadelphia has long possessed a noble zoological garden. So has Cincinnati. New York has at length developed so much civic pride and enterprise that she is going to have one too.

INSTANT DEATH

Came to Peter Rosselot This Forenoon.

He Was Ascending the Lakeside Electric Light Tower.

The Elevator Cable Broke and a Heavy Weight Fell, Striking Him on the Head

Peter Rosselot, a lamp trimmer in the employ of the Jenney Electric Light and Power company, was instantly killed shortly before noon today while at work on a tower in Lakeside. Death was so sudden that he never knew what struck him

It was Rosselot's duty to climb the high electric light towers in the various sections of the city every day and trim the lamps, clean them up and provide them with new carbons, etc

The tower in Lakeside is provided with a sort of an elevator, by means of which the trimmer was enabled to reach the top more easily. The elevator had a basket in which the man stood on the way up. A cable with a weight on the other end drew up the basket

Rosselot had entered the basket this forenoon to make his usual ascent When he had reached a height of perhaps twenty five feet from the bottom of the tower there was a sudden snapping of the cable The line broke and the heavy weight dropped from above It struck Rosselot on the head, chrushing his skull and causing instant death

There is a mechanism on the elevator basket for the purpose of preventing the basket from falling in case the cable should ever break Consequently, when the line parted the basket remained suspended in mid-air, with the victim of the terrible accident inside

Some people who witnessed the accident immediately summoned the patrol wagon: Officer Hines accompanied the wagon, but when he came to the spot he was unable to reach the basket He sent for some men from the electric light power station and they climbed the tower and lowered the body to the ground The lifeless man was in the basket for about an hour.

The remains were turned over to Kerlin & Bloom, who removed them to their undertaking establishment.

Rosselot was a married man and leaves a wife and three children. He was about thirty five years of age His home was at No 85 Putnam street, on the north side

MRS. HENRY STOLL.

Her Death Occurs This Morning From Paralysis.

She Had Suffered With the Disease Since Last Thursday—Edward Werner Dead.

Mrs Henry Stoll, wife of the custodian of the government building, died this morning from paralysis She was stricken with the disease last Thursday, but on Saturday she appeared to be improving, but her death occurred this morning, at the family residence, No. 25 Second street. She was the mother of Henry Stoll, the Pittsburg railway detective. The time for the funeral has not yet been set

WERMER

Edward Wermer, aged one year, died at the residence of his parents, on Eckert street, yesterday, from obstruction of the bowels The funeral occurs tomorrow at the residence at 2 o'clock, Rev Sauer officiating.

MEEHAN.

Mrs. Mary Meehan died Saturday at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. George Ohneck, near the Feeble Minded home She was aged seventy-five years and her death was caused by the infirmities that were brought on by old age

She was born in Dublin, Ireland, August 28, 1823 and came to America when quite young with her husband, who died several years ago.

She leaves three children, Mrs George Ohneck and Mrs. Frank Magers, of this city, and Mrs. T. J Gunn, of Glenwood Springs, Colo.

The funeral was held at 9 30 o'clock this morning at the Cathedral

ENTERTAINING PROGRAM

Which Will be Given This Evening at Trinity Parish House.

This evening the following program will be given in the Parish house of Trinity Episcopal church and will be followed by the serving of tea

Minuet
Misses Ethel O Rourke, Alice Foster, Jennie Dyer, Laura Fox, Messrs Charlie Hanna, Lawrence Young, George White, Jack Arthur, Roth Gould
Vocal Solo Love Scene
Mrs D S Rich, Mr. W. S Rich
Vocal Solo Tumult on the Storms Sea
Miss Alice Dyer
Old Red Cradle
Misses Edwards, Bruner, Cruse, Bess Allen, Greasking, Messrs Lee Snyder, L. Lambert.
Piano Solo Miss Brenda Fisher
Chorus Auld Lang Syne

RECKLESS DRIVING.

It Nearly Kills a Young Woman on Calhoun Street.

A young woman whose name could not be learned came near being the victim of a terrible accident last Saturday evening as a result of the careless and reckless driving of a man with a delivery wagon This man was coming east on Wayne street and turned the corner onto Calhoun street at a rapid rate, without even looking to see whether or not any one was in the way. A young lady was crossing Calhoun street at the time and the horses struck her. She was knocked down and rolled over and under their feet. Dr. English happened to see the accident and he rushed to the lady's assistance. He drew her from her perilous position and found that she was unharmed. The driver then drove away at as rapid a gait as he could, apparently caring not whether he killed anyone or not. Such driving should be stopped by the police

KICKED IN A DOOR.

William Block and Oscar B. Miller Arrested.

They Tried to Break Into Mrs. Nierman's House—Pat Regan Wanted to Visit His Girl.

Police court drew a good sized crowd this morning The court room was well filled with spectators, who, no doubt, expected to hear something sensational.

William Block and Oscar B. Miller were arrested early this morning for malicious trespass They went to the residence of MRS NIERMAN, No. 171 Erie street, at about two o'clock and wanted to get in Both were drunk. Mrs. Nierman refused to admit them and they proceeded to break windows and doors Block smashed a window and in doing so cut his hand. Miller kicked in a front door. The police were notified and Sergeant Dasoler and Officer Richardson found the two men in the greenhouse not far from Mrs. Nierman's house. Mayor Oakley found them guilty of malicious trespass and fined them $11 50 each.

Pat Reagan was also before the mayor. He was arrested at about midnight by Officer Harkenrider for trying to get into a house on Spy Run avenue. She was sick on Saturday and sent for him to come and see her in the evening. After he got through work Reagan became intoxicated At about midnight he went to the house and could not arouse anyone. He could not make his girl hear him, so he started to raise a window in order to get in to see her. He was pretty full and the result was that he broke the window and made a great noise. This aroused the man of the house who hurried out and captured the supposed burglar. Reagan gave himself up and sat on the front stoop of the house until Officer Harkenrider arrived This morning in police court he told his story and the girl was there to corroborate his. He showed plainly that he had not intended to commit a burglary or any other crime, so the mayor assessed a fine of $10 50 for intoxication. Regan had no money so his girl went out and in a few minutes she returned with the necessary cash She paid his fine and they went away, locked arms and under an umbrella built for two.

George Petgen, another one of the gang of alleged boy burglars who have been operating in the south part of the city for some time past, was captured at Warsaw last Saturday and brought to this city in the evening This morning in police court he was given a preliminary hearing Mayor Oakley sent him to the circuit court. Saturday the other three members of the gang, Tom Cook Harry Cook and a boy named McCain, were given a hearing and were also bound over.

TWO DIVORCES.

Boseker vs. Boseker and Bishop vs Bishop.

Judge O'Rourke Gives Them a Separation—Criminals in Circuit Court.

In the call of divorce cases today, Judge O'Rourke did not get farther along than the "B's" in the alphabet

The first case reached was that of Nettie Boseker against Harry Boseker. The plaintiff was given a divorce

The next case was that of Delilah Bishop against William Bishop The plaintiff in this case was also given divorce

E V. Emrick was the plaintiff attorney in both cases.

The new term of the circuit court opened this morning, but, aside from the arraignment of several criminals, nothing of an interesting character was done

Tony Gardner, who was arrested for stealing overcoats, was given a sentence of ninety days in jail The trial of Ed Moran was set for March 24, and that of Leonard McCrory and Ben Moore for March 3

The Rollinger case occupies the attention of Judge Dawson and a jury in the superior court

Koons and Rowe, accused of stealing chickens, will have their trial in the circuit court on February 17.

Harry Cook and his brother, George Pigeon, Herbert McGuire, and McCain, arrested for stealing tools from the Bradley carpenter shop, were arraigned in the circuit court this morning, Pigeon and McGuire were released on bail The Cook boys entered no pleas.

The county commissioners have refused to grant a liquor license to George Ward, who desired to open a saloon at Harlan. Ward was refused a license some time ago to sell brain destroying stuff at Mayaville.

Lord Leighton's Funeral.

LONDON, Jan. 3.—A large crowd of people watched the departure, this morning, of the funeral procession conveying the remains of the late Lord Leighton, president of the Royal academy, from the Royal academy, to the steps of the cathedral.

Colonel Thompson Dead.

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—Col. W. P. Thompson, president of the National Lead company, died of pneumonia today.

NO SECRET

IN THIS WOMAN'S

Mrs. Campbell Wishes Her Letter Published so that the Truth May Be Known.

SEE IT TO OUR LADY READERS.

Of the thousands of letters received from women all over the world by Mrs. Pinkham, not one is given to the public unless by special consent of the writer. Unsolicited testimony is established between Mrs. Pinkham and her army of patrons; and she freely selects letters for publication from any woman both of whom are in health or ailing.

In the case of Mrs. L. Campbell of Albion, Noble Co., Ind., her suffering was so severe, her relief so unexpected, and her gratitude so great that she wishes the entire truth published, in the hope that others may be benefited thereby. She says:

"My physician told me I had dropsy and falling of the womb. My stomach and bowels were so bloated I could not get a full breath. My face and limbs were bloated badly. I had that dreadful bearing down pain, backache, palpitation of the heart, and nervousness.

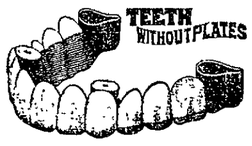
"One of my physicians told me I had something growing in my stomach, and the medicine that I took gave me relief only for a short time. I thought I must die. I began to take *Lydia E. Pinkham's* Vegetable Compound, and it worked like a charm. After taking the first bottle I could walk across the street, now I am well. I advise all my friends to take it."
—MARY E. CAMPBELL, Albion, Noble Co.

Arcade Dental Parlors.

No More Dread of the Dental Chair.

Teeth Positively Extracted Painless, Without Gas or Vitalized Air.

We have the very best methods for extracting and filling teeth without pain and make no charges for extracting when teeth are ordered.



Gold Crown and Bridge Work, or Teeth Without Plates a Specialty.

We intend to make it possible for all residents of the city of Fort Wayne to obtain the best dental work at cheap prices or lower right at home as we offered in Chicago, New York and all other large cities, and at the same time be assured they are receiving only the highest grade of work.

It is not necessary to pay a large price when the talent of our operator is noted called anywhere else in the city and when we are doing an extensive business and giving perfect satisfaction at low prices.

We invite you to call and know for yourself and save time and money and be pleased with our work. Very Respectfully

W. G. BURKET, D. D. S.,
Manager.

Room 8 Arcade. Ground Floor.

HUMANE SOCIETY NOTICE.

All parties having knowledge of acts of cruelty to animals or children will greatly favor and assist the Fort Wayne Humane society by telephoning or writing such information to Officer Schlandroff, 82 Clinton street. Telephone No 55

The Collapse Of Values.

Our Annual Inventory recently taken indicates an overstock in many departments.

During February we abandon all consideration of profits and have fully determined to reduce this overstock.

Buy now for present and future necessities. You'll find it the greatest paying investment you ever made.

Look through our Children's department. Boys' High Grade Reefer Coats that sold at $5, $6 and $7, now selling at $3 98

Former $2.50 and $3.00 Reefer Coats for boys, ages 4 to 15, now $1 85.

Cloth Leggings for boys that sold at $1 00, now 50 cents.

Sizes are somewhat broken in our Overcoat department, but surprises await you here in prices. The greatest OVER COAT PICNIC you ever enjoyed. During February we will sell

$6.00 Overcoats for $3 85.
$8.00 Overcoats for $5 85.
$10.00 Overcoats for $6.85.
$12.00 Overcoats for $8.85.
$15.00 Overcoats for $10. 85.
$18.00 Overcoats for $11.85.
$25.00 Overcoats for $16.85.

Men's Furnishings.

We are particularly overstocked here and during this month shall unload if phenomenally low prices will be an inducement to buy new and seasonable merchandise at 30 per cent. less than actual values.

50-Cent Lined Working Gloves now 25 cents
50 Cent Jersey Knit Gloves now 25 cents.
50 and 75-Cent Underwear now 35 cents.
$1.00, $1.25 and $1.50 Underwear now 71 cents

Anticipate Your Wants. - - - Buy Now.

Columbus clock coupons for the amount of your purchase given during this sale.

Lehman's U.S.

34 and 36 Calhoun Street,

Foellinger Block.

We close at 6 p m, Saturdays excepted.

The Evening Sentinel.

BY E. A. K HACKETT.

MONDAY, FEB. 3 1896.

TONIGHT.

WORKING GIRLS UNION—Entertainment and hop at their hall

CHURCH CONCERT—At parish house of Trinity Episcopal church.

SONS OF VETERANS—Entertainment at Schroeder's hall on Broadway

BRICKLAYERS AND MASONS UNIONS—Regular meeting, No. 7 East Main street.

BROTHERHOOD OF FIREMAN—Regular meeting, No 79 Calhoun street

CALEDONIAN SOCIETY—Regular Meeting, No. 76 Calhoun street.

EMPIRE THEATRE—Vaudeville Entertainment.

MUTUAL AID ASSOCIATION, No. 1—St Patrick's hall

FORTNIGHTLY CLUB—Discussion of the silver question.

ST PAUL'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERANS YOUNG MEN'S SOCIETY—Monthly meeting, corner of Barr and Madison streets

LODGES—St Mary's Lodge, No 14 (colored) F and A M Fort Wayne Lodge No. 14, I O O F, Phoenix Lodge No. 161, K of P., Mad Anthony Hive No 27, L O T M; Ben Hur Court, No 15, T B. H Modern Woodmen.

PRESIDENTIAL nomination lightning is hovering arround the heads of a number of prominent men in both parties and they are all hoping it will strike them.

THE ground hog was astir before 10 o'clock Sunday morning, he saw his shadow and got back into his hole again as soon as possible We will tie our faith to the ground hog's weather predictions everytime, and hence we believe that winter will stay with us for six weeks longer.

IN the last issue of "Our Methodist Paper" Rev. Dr. H. W. Bennett, its editor, has the following: "It was a surprise and a pleasure to note that the FORT WAYNE SENTINEL would not assist Mr. Ingersoll to spread rhetorical rhapsodies and vaporings in this city. This paper commends itself by its high moral tone and avoidance of a certain class of reading matter."

ONE of the encouraging signs of an improved moral condition and a spiritual awakening on the part of the people of Fort Wayne is the increased attendance at Sunday services in all of the churches of the city. In conversation with one of the ministers, a SENTINEL representative was told that the church congregations on Sunday have been larger this winter than they have ever been before in the history of Fort Wayne.

IT is rather curious that McKinley, who promises to show up stronger on the first ballot than any of his competitors at the republican presidential convention, is the man of all others that the democrats would choose to lead the opposition if they were permitted to have a voice in the selection of the candidate. He, more than other man in the republican party, represents the principle of high tariff protection and this is the very issue that the democrats desire to have prominent in the coming campaign.

DURING January 10 000 people left the ports of Cuba in the hunt for places of safety. They had no confidence that Spain could help them and they had no desire to help Spain. The fugitives seem to have the idea that there will be a great uprising among the Cubans ere long and that Gomez and Maceo are fully cognizant of the conditions in Havana and at headquarters of the Spanish army.

NO local event of recent occurrence in this city has created so much interest and comment as the reported attempted grave robbery of last week and Prosecuting Attorney Doughman is doing the right thing in getting all the information in regard to the matter that he can. If there has been an offense of this kind attempted, every effort should be made to hunt out the guilty parties so that they can be properly punished.

The Free Coinage Bill.

The long struggle in the senate over the question of free coinage terminated, as told in the telegraph columns of THE SENTINEL of Saturday, when the free coinage substitute, was adopted and the bill as amended passed by a vote of forty-two to thirty-five. Its title was changed so as to make it read. "To restore the coinage of silver dollars and for other purposes." All the sections of the house bill are struck out The bill now goes to the house for concurrence in the substitute. The bill as amended reads as follows.

That from and after the passage of this act the mines of the United States shall be open to the coinage of silver and there shall be coined dollars of the weight of 412½ grains troy of standard silver, nine tenths fine, as provided by the act of January 18, 1837, and upon the same terms and subject to the limitations and provisions of law regulating the coinage and legal tender quality of gold, and whenever the said coins here in provided for shall be received in the treasury certificates may be issued therefore in the manner now provided by law.

Sec 2. That the secretary of the treasury shall coin into standard silver dollars, as soon as practicable, according to the provisions of section 1 of this act, from the silver bullion purchased under authority of the act of July 14, 1890, entitled "An act directing the purchase of silver bullion and the issue of treasury notes thereon, and for other purposes," that portion of said silver bullion which represents the seigniorage of profit to the government, to wit: the difference between the cost of the silver purchased under said act and its coinage value, and said dollars so coined shall be used in the payment of the current expenses of the government and for the purpose of making the seigniorage immediately available for use as money, the secretary of the treasury is hereby authorized and directed to issue silver certificates against it as if it was already coined in the treasury.

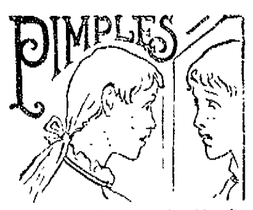
Sec. 3. That no national bank note shall be hereafter issued of a denomination less than $10, and all notes of such banks now outstanding of denominations less than that sum shall be as rapidly as practicable taken up, redeemed and cancelled, and notes of $10 and larger denominations shall be issued in their stead, under the direction of the comptroller of the currency.

Sec 4 The secretary of the treasury shall redeem the United States notes, commonly called "greenbacks," and also the treasury notes issued under the provisions of the act of July 14, 1890, when presented for redemption in standard silver dollars or in gold coin, using for redemption of said notes either gold or silver coin or both, at the option of the holder, but exclusively at the option of the treasury department, and said notes, commonly called "greenbacks," when so redeemed, shall be reissued as provided by the act of May 31, 1878

Cuban Recognition.

While the people of the United States are almost unanimous in desiring congress to accord belligerent rights to Cuba, there are some obstacles in the way with which the majority of them are not acquainted. These exist in certain articles of an old treaty with Spain, a treaty made 101 years ago.

One of the stipulations, and a troublesome one to get over, is that when either the United States or Spain is at war with another nation, the cruisers of the contracting nation which is at war shall have the right to search the merchant vessels of the other contracting nation for goods contraband of war. What these goods are is specified in the treaty. That is to say, if we should accord belligerent rights to Cuba, we would virtually pronounce her an independent nation at war with Spain. Then Spanish cruisers would have the right to stop our merchantmen anywhere on the high seas and search them for contraband goods. This would not make much difference anywhere outside of the West Indies, for outside of that region we have no foreign commerce, but unfortunately it is just there that we have several lines of merchant ships plying. Under the same treaty if a citizen of the United States should fit out a vessel to engage in service against Spain, he shall be punished as a pirate."



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It is trade considerations which mostly deter this government from recognizing Cuba. When it becomes a question of common humanity, however, considerations of the dollar are not to be entertained.

Americanism Not Jingoism.

Nobody wants any jingoism in this country. But the resolution of Senator Cushman K. Davis is not jingoism. It is just good, plain Americanism. It simply sets forth in clear words the present understanding of the Monroe doctrine, which is that any attempt on the part of any foreign power whatsoever to get a foot more of territory on this hemisphere, whether by conquest or by insidiously stretching out its boundary lines to include more than the law allows, will be considered an act hostile to the United States. So will the attempt to gain any protectorate over a power on this hemisphere or to get control over any canal or other means of transportation across "the American isthmus." The New York Journal puts it as follows and puts it exactly right:

We fail to see what offense it can give Great Britain for Uncle Sam to specify that European powers (mostly monarchical, our excellent friends, France always excepted) shall not try through force, purchase, cession, occupation, pledge, colonization, protectorate, or by control of the easement in canal or any other means of transit across the American isthmus," to seize and convert to its own uses any South American territory.

The world is wide, and this is our side of it We propose to control the Nicaragua canal, which will furnish the shortest waterway between our Atlantic and Pacific coasts. We do not intend to be hemmed in or harassed by foreign fortresses Why not have the courage to say so? There is not a single one of our trade interests which will be permanently injured by such declaration. If we are not bold enough to seize our opportunity now, we shall miss it forever and shall deserve our fate.

Light That Penetrates Solids.

A marvelous discovery has been made by Professor Rontgen of the University of Wurzburg, Bavaria. It is nothing less than a device which will make all vivisection processes hereafter more needless cruelty. Electricity is the agent by which the interior of opaque substances may be illuminated and not only illuminated, but photographed, through the invention of Professor Rontgen. According to the reports received, he simply passes an induction electrical current through a glass tube whose interior is a vacuum. The pipe during this operation gives off rays of light of such brilliancy that they penetrate solid substances and render these internally visible, so that the interior parts may be plainly photographed.

By means of the professor's apparatus, the bones of a man's hand have been perfectly photographed. So also have metals in the inside of a wooden box. The powerful rays pass through solid substances as ordinary light rays pass through glass or clear water. They are so powerful indeed that in one instance metals inside a wooden box were photographed through a cloth that had been thrown over the mouth of the camera.

The importance of this discovery, especially in medical science, can hardly be overestimated. It will enable all internal diseases to be minutely examined and treated. Bullets may be located and removed. The beating of the heart, the condition of the lungs, the circulation of the blood, will be as clear to the eye as if the human body were transparent. Transparentness is only relative anyhow.

Municipal Electric Lighting.

One of the favorite enterprises of Mayor Pingree and his friends in Detroit has been the erection by the city of a plant for electrically lighting streets and public buildings. In order to procure the necessary buildings, machinery, wire and poles the citizens at an election authorized Detroit to issue $800,000 worth of city bonds. It is one of the strangest facts recorded in any municipal history that not only was the authorized sum not exceeded, but the work was actually done for $200,000 less than the sum voted.

In Detroit the municipal plant lights all the public buildings, even to the schoolhouses. So popular is it that it is expected in the course of a short time the city will be lighting the private houses of its people at a specified rate. A figuring up of the cost of municipal illumination shows a great advantage over the private lighting system. Taking into account the interest of the capital invested, the wear and tear of buildings and machinery and even counting out the sum that would have had to be paid in taxes on the property under private ownership, it was found that there was a difference in favor of the municipal system of $2.15 per light per month, that, too, when the cost of municipal light production was compared with the lowest rate at which private plants had ever furnished illumination.

The boundary treaty by which Russia originally held Alaska read that the width of the strip of Alaskan soil running down along west of British Columbia should be ten marine leagues inland from the coast of the Pacific ocean. That was plain enough. It meant ten marine leagues inland from the coast of the mainland, just as it said. But when British Columbia came to be settled up, and it was found there were millions of acres of valuable grain and wheat raising lands eastward of the Alaskan strip, then it was contended by the British settlers that the treaty did not mean what it said, just plain ten marine leagues inland from the edge of the mainland, but that the ten leagues must be measured from the islands along and outside of the coast instead of that coast itself. This is now the claim of the British Columbians, a claim that on the face of it is preposterous. The treaty means to us just what it meant to Russia—the ten leagues measure from the beginning of the mainland.

The regular British game in getting possession of new country is noteworthy. English are the greatest of globe trotters. They go to a new country where they think there is money to be made, especially if they smell gold mines thereabouts. They colonize the place. Then they manage to get into a row with the original owners of the land, and England threatens to protect her subjects That was the alleged reason for the Jameson raid into the Transvaal; that was the reason Salisbury refused at first to arbitrate the Venezuelan boundary question beyond the Schomburgk line. English colonists had settled in the disputed territory, and Salisbury said that English colonists must not be disturbed in their "rights" without taking the trouble to find first whether they had any rights there.

RESULT OF A STRIKE.

Cars of the Chicago and Southeastern Burned at Lebanon,

The Shops of the Company Saved from Destruction by the Prompt Action of the Fire Department.

LEBANON, Ind., Feb. 3.—The entire forces of the Chicago and Southern railroad shops in this city walked out Saturday morning and announced their intentions to stay out until they have received six months' back pay due them. Not only have they quit work, but have already commenced waging war against the company and its interests. Since the strike was inaugurated trains have been run on the side track and allowed to proceed no urther.

It was given out by the leaders that the men would conduct a peaceable campaign. In a meeting held mob violence was condemned, and the men were requested to remain away from the company's right of way. James Kennedy, a shop foreman, was elected leader. In a speech he urged the men to remain loyal not only to their cause, but to their country, by committing no depredations.

Scores of men, however, congregated around the shops until midnight, when the last group dispersed, not even a guard having been left to prevent the passage of trains. Those engaged in watching the company's property began to consider alertness no longer a necessity and ceased making their rounds with the vigilance displayed during the evening

This proved to be but the calm preceding the storm, for a few minutes after 2 o'clock Sunday, flames shot up near the railroad shops. The city's fire department promptly answered the alarm, but with difficulty they barely succeeded in saving the shops proper. The fire consumed all the company's freight cabooses in the yards

The freight and passenger station at Westfield, twenty miles east, also went up in smoke.

The strikers deny any hand in these conflagrations, and say the torch has been applied by sympathizers of the company purposely to bring them into disrepute. Large crowds have congregated around the scene of the fires, no one having a word to say in condemnation.

The road has caused much trouble to the counties through which it passes Since its construction the officials have persistently neglected to pay their men promptly. At no time since its operation have they been in arrears less than six months to a year. H. Crawford, sr., of the Chicago and New York, is president, and although he is said to have brought other railroad stock well up the line of good investments, his luck in this connection is yet to come. Thousands of dollars' worth of property has been destroyed from time to time by strikers, and many times the president barely escaped the vengeance of the men

Telegrams were passed freely between the superior officers and the leaders of the strike yesterday, the company promising the money shall be forthcoming as soon as the president can be heard from. Extra patrolmen guard their property, fearing that the city's interests may suffer from acts of violence by the strikers. Frank C Reagan, local attorney for the company, says that President Crawford will come here tomorrow, when he thinks all differences will be adjusted. It is rumored that the trainmen will join the strikers unless a settlement is reached soon.

The monthly meeting of the Humane society was held this afternoon at the law office of the president of the organization, Senator T. E Ellison. Among the reports was that for the work of Humane Officer Louis Schlaudroff, showing the cases investigated by him as follows: Children abandoned or neglected, 11; beaten or abused, 15; destitute, 26; homeless, 25; having improper homes, 28; incorrigible, 7; wife beating, 1. Animals over driven or over working, 3; torturing with broken collar, 1; deprived of necessary food or shelter, 10; general cruelty, 8. abandoning animals to die, 1; cases reported at office, 25; not substantiated, 1; warned, 30; animals taken from work, 1; animals killed, being unfit for use 2 Found permanent home for one child. Two children were taken to Allen county orphans' home. Shot one horse and one dog

The services at the city department of the Young Men's Christian association yesterday afternoon were led by Rev. L. I. Henson, the pastor of the Baptist tabernacle, who preached a most impressive and interesting discourse on the theme, 'Lost," using as the foundation of his remarks the three parables of Christ, "the Lost Sheep," "the Lost Coin," and "the Prodigal Son." The thought which he drew out was that Christ and the church were most deeply interested in the sinner and were anxious and willing to do all in their power to bring about his salvation. The sinner, however, had a duty to perform. He must manifest a willingness to be saved, for without that his salvation cannot be brought about. He closed with a thoughtful appeal to the unconverted, and, as a result of his effective talk, six young men raised their hands for prayers. The singing at the services was done by the choir of the Baptist church and at the close Mr E F. Yarnelle rendered a beautiful solo, the sentiment of which was appropriate to the discourse preached by Rev. Henson There was a large attendance and the services were of a most profitable character.

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A BREAK IN THE TIRE.

By Luke Sharp.

HERE is just a little bit of the devil in every bicycle. I suppose this comes through the fierce heat and the welding of things that take place before a machine is thoroughly constructed. Anyhow, there the touch of Satin is, and I know no way of eliminating it.

When we read the parable of the devil entering into the swine and the swine at once rushing to their destruction in the sea, we recognize a certain likeness to the actions of a bicycle when it gets a man at its mercy. A bike will behave beautifully on level ground, but get it on the top of a long and unknown hill and then trouble begins. I don't know whether it is because of a fellow feeling with hogs or not, but the moment I am on a bicycle going down a hill I think of the swine that rushed down to the sea.

It would be just as easy for a tire to become punctured when you are near home as when you are far away, but I never knew that to happen. The first time a man gets his pneumatic tire punctured is a very serious occasion with him. I suppose that most persons, when taking on a bicycle, have been shown by some kind friend just how easy it is to slip the pneumatic tire over the wheel rim and mend a puncture in the inner tube. In my back yard a friend took off the tire, extracted the thin inner tube (the whole operation looked like a clinical demonstration in anatomy), fixed a mythical puncture, slipped on the outer covering again, pumped it up, and there it was. My friend claimed that he could mend a puncture and have everything in going order again in three minutes by the watch, and I have no doubt he spoke the truth, but I am free to confess that I can't do it, and on the first occasion I had to meet with a real puncture I am sure I could not have fixed the machine inside of six weeks.

When I first took to riding the bicycle I was in constant fear of puncturing. I dodged every piece of stone on the road, and would not run over a piece of glass if I could help it. I seemed to be constantly watching the path ahead of me for anything that would puncture the tire, but by and by, as nothing happened, I grew more easy in my mind, and at last completely forgot that such a thing as punctures added to the many troubles of bicyclers.

In touring around I have a fancy for leaving the main traveled roads and journeying along unfrequented lanes more out of the way of traffic, relying on good luck and a reasonably accurate map to bring me to civilization again. It was on one of these occasions, when I was at least 20 miles from home, as the crow flies, and right in the depths of the country that I came just around a corner upon a bit of new road bristling with flint stones into which I drove full speed before I noticed what was ahead of me. The tire collapsed, and the wheel came down with that sickening thud, thud, on the road which, once experienced, is never forgotten. I suppose that five or six times a year somebody comes along that lane, and among those five or six persons there is perhaps one who never saw or heard of a bicycle. I drew my disabled machine to the grassy side of the lane under the hedge, and sat down with my head in my hands trying to think what that man had done first when he took off the tire. It was months before, and though I had seemed to understand the operation at the time, my ideas now were in the most hazy condition possible. As far as I could recollect he unscrewed something first and then things seemed to

"I TRIED TO SLIP THE OUTER COVER OFF."

come apart; so I attacked the valve into which you pump the air, and finally got it into a position where I knew I could never get it back again. I tried to slip the outer cover off, but found, to my amazement, that a couple of wires were concealed somewhere in the edge of the outer tire that I had entirely forgotten. After an hour's hard work I had gotten the machine in such a state that I very much doubted if it could ever be put together again. I now consulted my map to find, if possible, in what part of creation I really was. I hadn't much confidence in the map, anyhow; it had led me astray more than once, and had landed me in the most unexpected places, but now, if it told the truth, there was a main road a mile or two further ahead, and along that main road undoubtedly a bicycler would ultimately come, and the chances were that he would understand something about pneumatic tires. If I had had complete faith in the map I should have trundled my bicycle to the main road, but as it was, I thought I had better mount the hill further on and see if I could discover signs of the principal thoroughfare. When I got on top of the hill I found there was another gentle decline and a still higher hill, and thus I was lured on and on, leaving my bicycle alone by the roadside until I found, as I had suspected, that there was no main road anywhere in the neighborhood. Turning back in despair, not knowing what next to do, I was overjoyed to see coming towards me, over the crest of the low hill, a man on a bicycle. When he saw me he apparently hesitated, and made as if he would turn back, but finally concluded to come on. As he approached I saw with amazement the reason of his hesitation. He was on my machine. I planted myself square in the middle of the lane, and although he attempted to dodge me, I grasped the handle bars.

"Now, you scoundrel," I said "get off."

He was a much smaller man than I am, and I knew that if matters came to extremities I would have little difficulty in taking care of him. He got off without a word, but his face was pale and his lips trembled.

"Now," I said to him, "if I did right, I would break your ugly head. You may be thankful at getting off so easily; however, I am obliged to you for mending the tire, and because of that I will say no more about the matter."

The young fellow edged away from me and looked as if he would like to take to his heels.

"You needn't be afraid," I said; "I won't hurt you."

Opening the little tool satchel at the back of the seat, I saw that he had not taken away the oil can and some of the other implements.

"Where are the rest of the tools?" I asked.

"They are all there that ever was there," he answered with hesitation.

It wasn't worth while discussing the matter with him, so I mounted the machine and ascended the hill he had come down and ran along where the disaster had happened. Here, to my amazement, I found my own machine still lying where I had placed it under the hedge. Without dismounting I whirled around and made after the young fellow whom I had robbed. I suppose I did look like a disreputable character with my face and clothes smeared with oil through my hours of effort at trying to take my machine to pieces. The moment the young fellow saw me coming behind him he began to run as fast as he could, and finally seeing that I was bound to overtake him he tried to get through the hedge, where he stuck.

"I have no money," he shouted, "at least only a shilling or two in my pocket."

"Look here," I said, "I am not such a villain as I look. I am no bicycle thief. I thought you were on my machine. Didn't you see it as you came along lying up against the hedge?"

"No," he answered with relief, coming down to the side of the road again.

"Well," I said, "I must apologize very abjectly for my conduct. Your machine is exactly like mine and I thought it was mine. I never expected any sane bicyclist would come along this lane."

"Didn't you come along the lane?" asked the young fellow.

"Yes, but I said sane bicyclist."

"Oh."

"I have punctured my tire, and I don't know how to repair it. I have been working at it for hours, and if you know anything about tires, for heaven's sake forgive me for the robbery, and come back and show me how to make my tire air tight once more."

The young fellow was very nice about it, indeed, and he returned with me to where the disabled machine lay. With that expertness which receives my most profound admiration, but which seems impossible for me to emulate, he whipped off the tire, mended the tube, and put everything in shape again. The whole episode was a lesson in Christian charity which I hope will not be lost on me.

I don't know when the second puncture of that tire will take place, but I hope when it does, I will have so good and mild a friend within call as the young fellow whom I robbed of his bicycle.

Southern Repartee.

Quite funny are some of the experiences narrated by persons returning from the Atlanta exposition. A local newspaper man, who got back from the south on Monday, tells this one on himself. Upon arriving at Atlanta he chartered a hack, and with that fine scorn of pecuniary considerations characteristic of his profession, ordered the driver to convey him to the "best hotel in town." Entering the really gorgeous carriage, he dropped his grip before the desk, held a pen poised above the register and inquired: "What kind of a room can you give me and how much?" The clerk, a typical southerner, with sallow complexion, drooping mustache and long goatee, replied in an indifferent sort of tone: "Well, suh, Ah ken give yo' a fo'th flo' room foh fo' dollahs a day, suh." "Fo'th flo' foh fo dollars," repeated the visitor facetiously mimicking the soft, southern accent, "then I presume you can give me a first floor room for one dollar, eh?" "N-o-o, suh," drawled the haughty Georgian; "Ah koin't give yo' a fust flo' room foh one dollah, suh; but Ah ken give yo' a room without any flo' at all foh nothin', suh. Jest go down thar to the bahn and inqui' foh the mewel pahtments." The Philadelphian made no further attempt to have fun with the natives during his stay in Atlanta.—Philadelphia Record.

Ungrateful.

"Papa." (She knelt beside the dejected figure and fondly kissed the drooping head.) "Papa, can I not keep the wolf from the door with my singing?" He was without hope, although he smiled. "My child," he sighed, "your singing would keep almost anything from the door, but the wolf is pretty nervy, you know."—Detroit News-Tribune.

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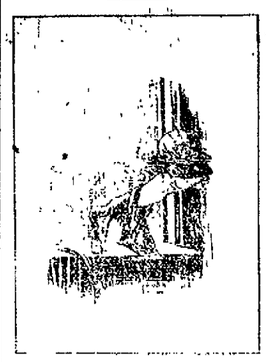
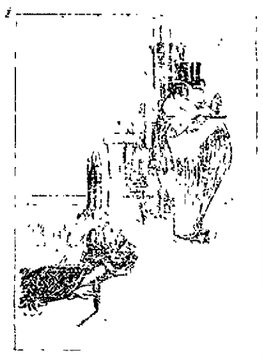


1—Burglar—Dis is de first time I ever broke inter a hotel.



2—I'll crawl under de bed an watch me chance.

3—Fat Boy [from Barnum's, 600 lbs]—Well, I guess I'll turn in for the night.

4—And just then the bed slats gave away and the burglar was caught.

CUT IN TWAIN.

Ernest Sauerwein Meets a Most Shocking Death.

Run Down and Horribly Mangled by a Lake Shore Locomotive—Local Gossip.

Shortly after 6 o'clock Saturday evening one of the most shocking accidents of recent years occurred on the Lake Shore road, about 100 yards west of St Mary's avenue.

At the hour mentioned Ernest Sauerwein was walking on the tracks, en route to his home on Franklin avenue, when engine No. 252, pushing two cars and bound for the Nickel Plate "Y," came gliding along swiftly from the east and ran him down, killing him instantly.

Conductor B. H. Cary and Switchman H. D. Beam were standing on the car next to the engine and heard the unfortunate man's startled cry when the car struck him. Mr. Cary gave the signal and Engineer Morris L. Hickey applied the brakes and brought the engine to a standstill within 100 feet of the place where the accident happened. The train crew climbed down from the cars, ran back a short distance and were horrified by the sight which met their gaze. There lay the mangled remains of a man, and from the dim rays of the conductor's lantern they recognized the face of Ernest Sauerwein.

The body was cut in two at the waist, the head, shoulders and arms lying upon the ends of the ties and the lower portion of the body and the legs lying between the rails. Near by were several packages, containing linenwear, a couple loaves of bread and tools, which the poor fellow had in his arms when struck. One of the sharp instruments was driven into the fleshy part of the leg. The left hand was also mangled, the wheels passing diagonally over it and crushing the outer portion and the third and fourth fingers.

A telephone message to police headquarters brought Sergeants Jewell and Daseler, with the patrol wagon, to the scene and the remains were at once taken to Peltier's morgue, where Coroner Harrod viewed them. At the request of the relatives and friends of the deceased, the body was then conveyed to Wellman's undertaking establishment, where it was prepared for burial.

The funeral will be held from the residence of Frank Sauerwein, 56 Barthold street, at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, Rev. John H. Bosch, of St. John's Reformed church, officiating.

Ernest Sauerwein was a machinist and for several years worked in the Lake Erie and Western shops, in Bloomingdale. He was thirty six years old, married and was the father of two children, both girls. Some months ago Mrs. Sauerwein became infatuated with an insurance agent named Vaughan and eloped with him. They were located at Minneapolis, where Sheriff Clausmeier found them and brought the woman back to this city. She appeared repentant and Mr. Sauerwein forgave her and for awhile their domestic affairs ran smoothly. But the woman again disappeared and this time her husband made no particular effort to find her. It was thought she went to Cincinnati, but if she did go there she soon returned and is now said to be conducting a boarding house in the southern part of this city. The deserted husband took his two little girls out to the Reformed Orphans' home, where they still remain, while he retained his old home, sleeping there and taking his meals at the residence of his brother, Frank Sauerwein, on Barthold street.

Besides Frank, two other brothers survive the deceased. They are Charles and Herman Sauerwein, who reside in St Louis. A telegram informing them of the death of Ernest was forwarded Sunday morning and the brothers are expected here this afternoon.

The deceased enjoyed the esteem and confidence of his fellowmen to a high degree. He was a good man, they say, and as evidence of his Christian spirit and forgiving nature they point to the treatment his truant wife has received at his hands, after so grievously wronging him. The associates of Mr. Sauerwein also state that he was not in the habit of walking on the railway track to and from his work, as stated in a Sunday morning paper. His rule was to keep off the tracks, but to avoid a two block's tramp through the mud Saturday evening, he broke the rule and took to the dry railroad bed. His hearing was defective and he did not notice the warning engine bell nor the noise of the wheels on the rails until the train was upon him.

Mr. Sauerwein was a member of the National Union and held a life policy for $2,000 in that order. Two or three weeks ago he had the paper changed, making his two children the beneficiaries, instead of his wife.

It was not the regular switch engine which killed Mr. Sauerwein, that locomotive having been run into the round house for the night, as is customary at 6 o'clock Saturday evening. The engine which did the killing was the one which brought a local train in that evening. The train, which was late, had two loaded stock cars to be delivered to the Nickel Plate, and as the switch engine was not available, the local freight crew was ordered to take the cars down to the "Y."

A VETERAN GONE

John Welch, the veteran employe in the Pittsburg shops, died at 6 o'clock this morning from general debility, aged seventy-three years. The deceased leaves a wife and five children, as follows: John and James, of this city; Thomas Welch, Mrs. Minnie Crane and Mrs. Katherine Pennell, of Logansport. The funeral will be held from St. Patrick's church at an hour to be appointed later. Mr. Welch was born in County Sligo, Ireland, and came to America about forty five years ago. Forty years ago he came to this city and immediately took a position as wiper in the Pittsburg round house and worked continuously at it up to November 20 last, when ill health compelled him to cease his labors. He was a member of the Pennsylvania Voluntary Relief association.

BRIEF MENTION.

G. L Lown, a car inspector, is sick and off duty.

J. V. Palmer, a carpenter employed in the Pittsburg shops, is sick.

Louis Hibbler and H. Grothaus, of the Pittsburg blacksmith shop, are sick and off duty.

Pittsburg Machinist C. Cooper, who was sick, was able to return to work this morning.

The local branch of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers nominated officers yesterday.

Machinist William Lerch got the better of the grip in a two days' tussle and is on duty today again.

Bad weather kept several of the employes of the Pittsburg lumber yards from reporting for duty this morning.

The Chicago and Erie has put the new men, recently promoted to engineers, back to firing on account of a surplus of men.

Fred Kiser has resigned as baggage master of the Wabash depot in Huntington. Henry Keeter was appointed to fill the vacancy.

C. Volz, P. Junk and A. Burchard are sick. G Hill is off duty on account of private business. All work in the Pittsburg planing mills.

Railroad officials dismiss employes more readily for non-payment of debts, which cause garnishments to be filed against them, than for most causes.

The Big Four railroad tax case, which has been on trial at St. Joseph Mich., for the last week, was decided Saturday against the railway company.

F. A. Knocke, an employe of the Bowser Oil Tank works, had a finger badly cut upon a washboard Saturday evening. Dr. Van Buskirk dressed the wound.

William Grace, of Logansport, is acting as express messenger and baggage man on the Wabash "plug" run ning between Lafayette and Fort Wayne a few days.

Awarded Highest Honors—World's Fair,

DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER

MOST PERFECT MADE.

A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant.

40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

John Meyers is sick and George Reidmiller has recovered from a sickness. Both are employed in the Pittsburg freight house

Machinist Mart Hobrock has been transferred from the back shop to the Pittsburg round house, to work at nights for a short time.

Albert Little has returned from a visit with friends in Defiance, Ohio, and this morning resumed his duties in the Pittsburg freight house.

Bert Sunderland, a Pittsburg brakeman, took his run out yesterday for the first time in three months. He had been troubled with sore eyes that length of time.

The iron machine department of the Pittsburgh car shops, which for two weeks was running on a fourteen hour per day schedule, this morning commenced on a twelve hour day.

Contractor Woebeking was the successful bidder for the contract to erect a house for John M. Cook, on West Butler street. Work will be commenced as soon as the weather will permit.

The freight "rush" is over and the Fort Wayne road is returning the borrowed engines. Nos. 688 and 693, from the Cleveland and Pittsburg road, and No. 182 from the eastern division of the Pittsburgh, were returned to those lines to day.

P. E Albers, who was detained at home several days by the illness of his wife and her sister, resumed his duties in the Pittsburg tank shop today. He reports the patients much better, news which will be welcomed by a large circle of friends.

The case of the Horseshoe Nail company against the Panhandle has been venued from Marion to Wabash. The suit is for $10,000 damages, the claim being that the nail company's buildings were burned by sparks from a Panhandle locomotive.

Supt. E. A. Gould is better today and it now looks as though he would recover. The abscesses on his neck were lanced Saturday by Dr. Moorehouse, the company's chief surgeon, and from that moment the improvement in the patient's condition has been steady.

Henry Hilgeman was the lowest bidder for the Keifer building, which it is proposed to erect adjoining the Tri-State building on Clinton street this spring. The proposed structure will be three stories, with a stone front to correspond to the buildings adjacent thereto.

Hewes Piper, Jacob Weber, Frank Minnich, John Saunders, E. H. W. Dornte, J. Anderson, Joseph Carry Lloyd Judy, John Fraine, Owen Barry, Terrence Martin and William Hayes Pittsburg shopmen, resumed work this morning after an absence for various reasons.

The snow fall at Chicago and for a short distance east of that city was considerable and at 6 o'clock this morning covered the ground to the depth of several inches. At that hour the Pittsburg got its snow plows out and commenced cleaning up the "beautiful" in the yards.

According to the New York Sun, limited tickets which have been altered by having the holes filled up with paraffin are very common nowadays. It is said that certain railroads have instructed conductors to test limited tickets by the use of the thumb nail so as to detect plugged holes.

The new order to Panhandle trainmen, which makes it the duty of the passenger brakemen to collect the tickets, is looked upon with suspicion by the conductors The reason assigned for the new order of things is to educate the brakeman so he could assume charge of the train in case of the sudden sickness of the conductor.

If the plans of the Illinois Central are successful the bulk of the grain traffic will soon be diverted from its present channels and reach the European markets through New Orleans, instead of New York. The ten east bound trunk lines out of Chicago will endeavor to prevent such a diversion of traffic, but President Fish, of the Illinois Central, says they cannot do it.

George W. Feeney, a locomotive engineer of the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore, who died at Wilmington, January 20, is said by local papers to have been in the service of the company more than forty years. He ran the engine which drew the train carrying Abraham Lincoln to Washington in March, 1861, and also the very fast train carrying Mrs. Garfield to Washington in July, 1881, when President Garfield was shot

A Kansas judge says that "if a railway company suspend operations the land operated by its right of way reverts to the original owners." The Leavenworth, Topeka and Southwestern discontinued running trains in 1894, whereupon the owner of a large farm fenced in the strip which he had sold, amounting to ten acres, and when the company resumed operations and tore down its barriers he brought suit and was declared the owner by reversion.

J. H. Barrett, who last Saturday retired from the general superintendency of the Cleveland, Akron and Columbus road, has seen many years of railroad service, beginning on the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago. He was division superintendent of the Pittsburg, Cincinnati and St Louis for ten years and has been superintendent of various other roads in the west. For six years, beginning in 1886, he was on the Erie, being superintendent of transportation or general superintendent the greater part of the time.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

HUMOR OF HANDS UP

LEFT HIS WATCH AT HOME, BUT GOT ANOTHER.

The Clock That Did Its Best and Struck One—Two Louisville Negroes Who Found the Tables Very Neatly Turned by a Man of Nerve.

The following story must be true, because it happened two weeks ago at Austin and last week in Lake View.

Mr. Burton was aroused shortly after midnight by his wife, who said that little Freddie was coughing just as though he had the croup and for him (Mr. Burton) to go and bring the doctor.

Thereupon Mr. Burton aroused himself, and assisted by his wife got into his clothes. As his wife was helping him on with his overcoat she asked, "Thomas, have you your revolver?"

"No. Had I better take it?"

"I should think so. It's late, and the streets are fearfully dark."

She handed him the weapon, which he cautiously slipped into the side pocket of his overcoat, where he could keep his hand on it.

It was indeed a very dark night. He could barely discern the shapes of trees, fences and houses.

As he turned a corner he ran heavily against another man. They collided fully, and then Mr. Burton jumped backward, with his heart in his throat.

"Excuse me," said the man in the darkness, and he passed on.

Burton took a firmer hold on his weapon. Then he happened to think of something. He felt for his watch. It was gone. The fellow had bumped into him so as to slip the watch from his pocket.

Burton drew his revolver and ran after the robber, who began to run.

"Stop, or I'll shoot!" shouted Burton.

The man stopped and leaned against a fence.

"Now," said Burton, with the revolver advanced, "you give me that watch."

The robber handed it over.

"Now you skip!" And the fellow ran.

When Burton reached home he was pale and excited, but quite exultant.

"A footpad ran into me and grabbed my watch," said he, "but I drew my gun and made him give it back."

"Why, Thomas," exclaimed his dismayed wife, "I took the watch out of your vest pocket before you started."

The doctor came in a half hour later.

He was agitated, and he explained that he had been called away on an urgent case at the time when Mr. Burton called at his house.

"And right at this next corner," he added, "I was held up by the most villainous looking highwayman you ever saw and robbed of my watch."—Chicago Record.

A Striking Story.

Carefully the two masked men climbed through the cellar window and up the stairs leading to the kitchen.

It was 55 minutes past midnight, and the big clock in the upper hall ticked on.

Skillfully avoiding two empty coal buckets that stood upon the landing, the midnight marauders crept steadily upward through a dimly lighted hall and up a second pair of stairs.

"Hist!" whispered the first burglar as a slight noise came to him.

"Hist, yourself," said the second, who had a boil on the back of his neck and didn't care to be ordered about.

"Be quiet," muttered the first. "I hear some one approaching." Then he crouched low to the wall and put his breath in his pocket.

The man with the boil only growled and refused to do as his partner asked. There was bad blood between them evidently. Perhaps it was in the veins of the man with a boil.

Suddenly there came a whirring, grating sound, and the two men, forgetting their differences, caught each other by the arm. The noise, right above their heads, increased, and the two law breakers turned pale with fear.

Then the clock struck 1.

And the other turned and fled into the darkness.

If it had only been an hour later, the faithful clock might have bagged both of the burglars, but it did its best.—Cincinnati Tribune.

Robbers Robbed.

An amusing incident occurred the other evening on the levee which should tend to improve the respectability of that portion of the city. A stout, plainly dressed man, apparently about 40 years of age, was walking briskly along under the trestle of the Daisy bridge when he was suddenly confronted by two negroes, one of whom, holding a pistol in his hand, commanded the pedestrian to "shell out." The suddenness of the attack was calculated to startle most men into compliance, but this stranger proved to be an exception to the rule. Without a word he struck the second negro a blow in the face which sent him to the ground in a heap, and seizing the barrel of the pistol in the hands of his other assailant after a short but fierce struggle he wrenched it from the negro's grasp. Springing back he covered both negroes with weapon and commanded them to stand up. The one on the ground got up in a dazed sort of way, while his companion explained, "We wuz only jokin with you, boss."

The stranger looked around in the hope of seeing a policeman, but as none was in sight he determined with a grim sense of humor to administer justice himself.

"Well," he said roughly, "I'll do a little joking. I am in need of pocket money myself, so you two rascals can do the shelling out."

So the two would be robbers under cover of the cocked revolver sullenly surrendered $1.20, which, together with the pistol, their victim placed in his pocket.

"Now, you two move on," he commanded, and the crestfallen negroes quickly disappeared.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

AMERICAN FABLES.

The Sage and the Young Man.

One day the sage was visited by a young man who had a look of sorrow in his eyes, and who pathetically cried out:

"Oh, sage, I want some of thy wisdom. I am young and innocent, and things get away with me."

"Yes, you are scarcely more than a downy kid," replied the sage after looking him over. "What particular thing do you want to be posted on?"

"Oh, sage, I have on several occasions picked up the frisky hornet, and in each instance I have burned my fingers."

"Got hold of the business end of the insect, eh?"

"I have, and with sad results."

"And now you want to know how to prevent such mistakes in the future?"

"That is my mission, oh, sage."

"My dear boy," said the sage after due reflection and a pull at the jug beside him, "there is one general principle that should guide humanity on its way from the cradle to the grave. Whenever you are in doubt which end is the business end of a hornet wait for some other fellow to do the picking up."

Moral.—But who of us wait?

The Lion's Decision.

One day the wolf and the jackal appeared before the lion, bearing between them the freshly killed carcass of a doe, and the wolf had no sooner got his breath than he exclaimed:

"Oh, king of beasts, I want to be protected from this thieving jackal. I had killed the doe when he came up and claimed half of the meat."

"Oh, king, the wolf is a liar from Liarville!" replied the jackal with great indignation. "After a run of two or three miles I had brought down the doe, when up comes the skulker of a wolf and seeks to bulldoze me into dividing with him."

"Oh, the lying villain!"

"Oh, the deceiving critter!"

"Gentlemen," said the lion as he looked from one to the other, "somebody is lying in this matter!"

"It's that scrub of a jackal!" shouted the wolf.

"It's that villain of a wolf!" shouted the jackal.

"Now, then, as a matter of fact, didn't you both have a hand in the killing?" queried the king of beasts.

"No! I did it all!"

"He lies! I did it alone!"

"But there is plenty for two here," resumed the lion, "and why not make an even divide and go your way in peace?"

"Never," shouted the wolf.

"I'll be hanged if I give him even a bite," howled the jackal.

"Very well, gentlemen—very well," said the lion as he rose up in his dignity, "since you cannot agree as to which of you killed this fat and juicy doe, and since you will not agree to divide it between you and make a good thing for both, I will devour the meat myself and you can go hungry I would further add that if there is not enough of the doe to satisfy my hunger I will turn and eat both disputants."

Moral.—You know what it is if you have been to law.—Detroit Free Press

The Man In the Case.

"As a wife, the college girl is hard to beat."

The man with the hollow voice glanced over his shoulder and laughed nervously.

"True," he rejoined, with a palpable effort to be gay. "A friend of mine tried to beat one who was his wife, and she threw him into the coal bin. Yes."

There were not lacking those to boldly suggest that the man's friend was none other than himself.—Detroit Tribune.

Not the Same Kind.

Mrs. Dolan—Phwat do yez t'ink av women's rights, Mrs. Casey?

Mrs. Casey—It's me opinion, Mrs. Dolan, thot every woman should be able to make her mark at laste.—Brooklyn Life.

Where He Drew the Line.

The proprietor of the hotel, who was himself a fairly decent sort of fellow, came hurrying into the private office, whither the excited head waiter and the two newly registered guests who had assaulted him were waiting in the custody of the special officer of the establishment.

"Gentlemen," declared the proprietor, "such conduct is disgraceful. It so happens that there was nobody else in the dining room to see it, and so some measure of scandal is spared the house. But why did you strike the man?"

"Of course we apologize," said one of the pair, "and deeply regret the painful occurrence, but we were driven to it. When we first entered, one of your waiters seized my coat in such an awkward and precipitate manner as to break off two buttons, but I did not mind that especially. That was enthusiastic welcome. Then the man who took my friend's hat dropped it on the floor and accidentally stepped into it, but I am sure it was a mishap and unintended, so neither of us felt bitterly toward him. Then a third peace killer trod upon my freshly polished shoe and painfully compressed my toe, but no one would believe he had designed to do it. The person with my friend's hat in carrying it and his topcoat to the rack allowed the latter garment to trail across the floor, sleeves bindmost, but you could readily see he was still excited about the hat and was therefore excusable. But when at this moment the imperious head waiter appeared and called, 'Come this way, gents,' I just waited until he had unmistakably pronounced the word 'gents,' and when we were positive he had used the term we both fell upon him, as become men of self respect."

"He said 'gents?'" queried the proprietor, enraged.

"He did."

"Gentlemen, the apology is mine. I said my house had not been scandalized, but it has. Go, fellow," to the head waiter, "and know that you deserved tenfold what you got."—Chicago Record.

Ineffective Attempts.

Dr. Slade—Now, Mrs. Cusack, that your little son is convalescing from the fever, you should provide him with some cheerful amusement or mild recreation to wake up his enervated spirits.

Mrs. Cusack—I do try, doctor, but it don't seem to do any good. I've had him set out on the porch an watch the other boys stonin Chinymen an playin other games, but little Hankey don't 'pear to take no interest in any of 'em.—Chicago Record.

The Season.

"Ah, old man."

"Well, my boy."

"Come in and break a resolution with me."

"Don't care if I do."

There was a shudder in the air, as if there were others.—Detroit Tribune.

A Man of Promise.

Neighbor—Young Smithers is doing fine in New York city, I hear. He was a mighty promising young man—

Miss Elders (tartly)—Yes, and if he don't be back here pretty soon makin some of them good ho'll have a lawsuit on his hands!—New York World.

Skinner—Is Mr. Laylow one of your permanent boarders?

The Landlady—He is. I told him he couldn't leave until he had paid up.—Life.

Notice to Democrats.

In compliance with a resolution adopted at the democratic mass meeting held in the circuit court room January 15th, 1896, and unanimously endorsed at a regular meeting of the city central committee, an election has been ordered to take place in the various wards of the city on the 8th day of February, from the hours of 4 to 7 p m for the purpose of voting on the question of delegate or primary system, and the election of two committeemen from each ward.

Only democrats are qualified to vote at this election.

Voting places to be announced later.

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JNO. N. ROBYANS, Secretary.

Mothers, Be sure and use "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for your children while cutting teeth. It is the best remedy of all. MaySeod&w

The Misses Harrison, of 22 Charles street, will give a phantom party this evening.

Beecham's pills are for biliousness, bilious headache, dyspepsia, heartburn, torpid liver, dizziness, sick headache, bad taste in the mouth, coated tongue, loss of appetite, sallow skin, etc., when caused by constipation; and constipation is the most frequent cause of all of them.

Go by the book. Pills 10¢ and 25¢ a box. Book *free* at your druggist's or write B. F. Allen Co., 365 Canal Street, New York.

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WANTED—A lady to do washing. No. 59 Clinton St. 1-2t

WANTED—A good second girl, at 99 East Wayne street. 31-tf

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Inquire 158 West Berry street. feb 3 3t

WANTED—Machine repair work to do at the shop at No. 59 East Columbia street. 28tf

WANTED—Girl for second work; reference required Mrs. Frank E. D. Kephinger 25 Fairfield avenue feb 3 3t

WANTED—Any one can borrow money on house furniture. See advertisement, front page, first column. 4-tf

WANTED—Washing to do at home. Will call for and deliver same. Call or address, Mrs. J. T., 149 Wallace street. 12tf

WANTED—Partner with $10 000 capital to invest in the largest express and storage business in Chicago. C. 25, care Lord & Thomas, Chicago. 30 6t

WANTED—Good business chance. Man with $1,000 and capable of office work, can hear of good opening. Enquire for Hayner, No. 55 E. Columbia St. 1-2t

WANTED—Everybody to call on Madame Wing the only reliable clairvoint and fortune teller in the world. Office and residence, No. 28 Chicago street, Fort Wayne, Ind. Price, 50c. 25tf

WANTED—Young man, competent and reliable, desires clerical position. Several years experience in stenographic and general office work. A 1 credentials. Address, Clerk, 29 West Jefferson street.

WANTED—Young man to learn barber trade; constant practice furnished; only eight weeks required to complete. Situation in city or country, tools donated. Chicago Barber School, 51 Wabash Ave., Chicago. Illustrated catalogue mailed free. 31-3t.

WANTED—A good live, progressive man to represent a good, live, progressive life insurance company, with a contract that can be sold. A man with a record of home and abilities can make a very liberal contract either on salary or commission or both. Address, Manager, Sentinel Office. feb 1 2t

FOR RENT.

HAVE YOU ANY VACANT HOUSES OR flats? You can find tenants quickly with an ad in the columns of THE SENTINEL.

FOR RENT—One suit of unfurnished front rooms, at 106 E Berry. 17-tf

FOR RENT—Money to loan on house goods, etc. See advertisement first column first page. 19-tf

FOR RENT—ROOM—A nicely furnished front room, with all modern conveniences, for two gentlemen or husband and wife, at 51 West Berry. feb 3 2t

FOR RENT OR SALE—After February 1st. Premises No. 211 Webster St; corner lot, two story brick, slate roof, seven room house; gas, well, cistern and waterworks. Inquire No. 153 Broadway. 2-1t

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FOR SALE A light manufacturing business, 30 per cent no investment A good opportunity for a party with small capital. Address, W. J. B, care of Sentinel.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One six-room house and lot at No. 5 Dollars avenue, will take monthly payments of $10 per month; 2 vacant lots in Devilbiss addition; 1 lot on N. Pontiac street; one horse 6 years old, one fire proof safe, one eight foot oval front show case; one two seated top buggy and double harness. Will take in exchange a stock of groceries or other real estate property. D. J. SHAW, grocery and meat market, No. 23 Smith street. 24-1m

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80 acres 4 miles from city $2,400.00.
140 acres, 8 miles from city, $2,500.00.
320 acres, 18 miles from city, $9,600.00.
160 acres in Jackson township, $4,500.00.
40 acres in Jackson township, $1,400.00.
10 acres, 3 miles from city, $1,250.00.
11 acres, 5 miles from city, $500.00
35 acres, 2 miles from city, $3,100.00.
80 acres, 7½ miles from city, $3,000.00
80 acres in Jackson township, $2,600.00.
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120 lines of Suits with only one Suit to each lot. In our CHILD'S DEPARTMENT we find 91 lines in the same way—only one size to each lot, while in our BOYS' DEPARTMENT we have 73 lots in the same condition.

These Broken Lines must be out of our house before March 1st. The prices we will offer them at will do it.

Now is the time above all to buy a Suit for Man or Boy. Look over them. Special drives for your size.

You May Own Any of Them for Half Price.

Parents who have

CONFIRMATION SUITS

To buy this season, should take advantage of this sale, and call at once, as there are a great many lines adapted to Confirmation purposes. Sale will begin

WEDNESDAY MORNING,

But first comers will have best choice.

PIXLEY & CO.

Children's Diseases.

Nine tenths of them originate in the stomach. Senna regulates the stomach, insures perfect digestion; gives healthful, natural rest and sleep, absolutely without opium. Cures colic, costiveness, sour stomach, worm affections, restlessness, irregular appetite, colds and diarrhoea. Controls the dangers of teething, allays fever-ishness, prevents convulsions and gives perfect health. Sold by Reese & Runke, J. S. Nesler, Gross & Pellens, Druggists—25 cents.

Coal, Coke, Wood and Egg Coal for Furnace use.

The Cheapest and Best. All orders promptly delivered. Office open evenings. Telephone 135.

G. H. KRUDOP, Corner Francis and Hayden Sts.

W. C. COLLINS, DENTIST.

Nitrous Oxide Gas Administered.

WHITES' BLOCK, Above Fruit House, S E. Corner Wayne and Calhoun Sts.

The Pennsylvania Station.

Pennsylvania Lines.

Trains Run by Central Time

AR SOLROWS:
† Daily. ‡ Daily, except Sunday.

FROM FT. WAYNE TO	DAILY	ALLEY

Trains depart from Pennsylvania Station Fort Wayne, Ind.

East Bound.	West Bound.
* 6 40 a. m.	* 8 35 a. m.
‡ 8 55 a. m. Penn Chi.	‡ 8 10 a. m. Limited
‡ ‖ 10 p. m.	* 7 10 a. m.
‡ 7 45 p. m.	‡ 12 40 a. m.
* ‡ 35 p. m. Limited	* 4 30 p. m.
‡ 10 35 p. m. Penn Chi	* 5 40 p. m.

Chicago depot, Clark and 12th streets. Buffalo depot, Exchange and Michigan St. Nos. 3 and 4 and local freight trains daily except Sunday. Other trains daily.

EAST.	Arr.	Dep.
N. Y. & Boston Ex. No. 2	*8 55 am	*3 05 am
Cleveland Mail No. 4	‡ 1 50 pm	12 00 pm
Eastern Express No. 6	*6 30 pm	*6 25 pm
Local Freight	‡ 4 35 pm	‡ 7 30 am
WEST	Arr.	Dep.
Chicago Express No. 1	*1 55 am	*8 05 am
Chicago Mail No. 3	‡ 11 05 pm	‡ 11 15 pm
Western Express No. 5	*4 05 pm	*4 10 pm
Local Freight	‡ 8 22 pm	‡ 7 00 am

Nos 1 and 5 through drawing room and sleeping cars for Chicago.

Nos. 2 and 6 drawing room sleeping cars through to New York and Boston.

DINING CARS serve breakfast and dinner on Nos 5 and 2, and supper on No 6. No. 1 supper at Cleveland. Nos. 3 and 4, dinner at Ft. Wayne, No. 1, supper at Bellevue.

Uniformed colored porters in charge of day coaches on through trains, insuring scrupulously clean cars enroute.

Baggage checked through to destination. For rates and other information call on or address,

B. F. Horner, Gen. Pass. Agt., Cleveland, O
A. W. Johnston, Gen. Supt., Cleveland, O.
M. C. Baker, District Pass. Agt., Ft. Wayne.

★ Wabash R. R. ★

No.	GOING EAST.	Depart.
42	N. Y. & Boston Limited, daily	4:42 a. m.
70	Local Freight, Except Sunday	6:00 a. m.
46	Kan. City & Toledo Ex., ex. Sun.	1:15 p. m.
44	Fast Mail & Xpress, daily	7:12 p. m.
34	Lafayette Acc., ar., ex. Sunday	11:00 a. m.
	GOING WEST.	
45	St. Louis Express, daily	8:05 a. m.
41	Kan. City Cannon Ball, ex. Sun.	1:25 p. m.
43	St. Louis Limited, daily	8:30 p. m.
33	Lafayette Acc., ex. Sunday	11:30 p. m.

FINDLAY, FORT WAYNE & WESTERN RAILROAD.

STATIONS.

Leave	EAST.		
Ft. Wayne Mrd. Rd.	8 15 am	2 20 pm	6 55 am
Haviland " "	11 05 am	3 30 pm	8 01 am
Cloverdale " "	12 35 am	4 00 pm	8 25 am
Ottawa " "	2 35 am	4 13 pm	9 01 am
Arrive.			
Toledo (C. H. & D.)		7 15 pm	10 15 am
Findlay "	1 15 am	5 20 pm	9 17 am
Arrive	WEST.		
Ft. Wayne Mrd. Rd.	10 40 am	7 00 pm	4 50 pm
Haviland " "	9 56 am	6 51 pm	4 05 pm
Cloverdale " "	9 06 am	5 19 pm	12 35 pm
Ottawa " "	8 30 am	4 45 pm	11 00 pm
Leave.			
Toledo (C. H. & D.)	6 45 am	2 57 pm	
Findlay "	7 45 am	4 00 pm	8 35 pm

Trains arrive and depart from Wabash station, Fort Wayne. All trains daily except Sundays.

GRAND RAPIDS & INDIANA R. R.

GOING NORTH.	LEAVE.
*For Grand Rapids and North	2.20 am
	8.15 am
	2.55 pm
From Richmond	5.55 pm
SOUTHBOUND.	
*For Richmond and Cincinnati	11.45 pm
	5.45 am
	1.15 pm
From Grand Rapids	7.15 pm
From Grand Rapids	11.25 pm

† Daily.
All other trains daily except Sunday.

LAKE SHORE & MICHIGAN SOUTHERN RAILWAY—Fort Wayne Branch

SOUTHWARD.	ARRIVE
No. 468 Way Freight	8 55 pm
No. 404 Chi. Express and Mail	10 35 am
No. 410 Detroit & Indpls Express	2 55 pm
NORTHWARD.	DEPART.
No. 467 Way Freight	6 40 pm
No. 407 Through Express and Mail	11 45 am
No. 409 Detroit & Indianapolis Ex	4 [illegible]

BUSINESS DIRECTORY

INSURANCE.

JAMES E. GRAHAM, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. Abst

ROOT & COMPANY

AFTER THE SALE

WEDNESDAY, we expect to close the store for one day to take account of stock.

THIS GREAT COST SALE

Just closed has left many broken lines, many remnants, and we are going to have a

Two Days' Clearing Sale

In which EVERY REMNANT, EVERY ODD PIECE or PAIR of all goods remaining will be

SOLD AT A SACRIFICE.

This will include the Carpet Department,
The Curtain Department,
All Silk and Dress Goods,
All Cloths and Cassimeres,
Hosiery, Underwear,
Gents' Furnishing Goods,
Trimmings, White Goods, Etc.,

Every Remnant,
Every Thing in Single Pairs,

Be it BLANKETS, CURTAINS, PORTIERRES, RUGS, No matter how desirable,

WE SELL AT A SACRIFICE.

The past few days the receivers have been opening and getting ready car-loads of

NEW SPRING GOODS,

Which will be on display in a very few days after invoice. Due notice of opening will be given.

ROOT & COMPANY.

EVERYBODY GOES TO
THE PANTITORIUM,
To have their Clothing CLEANED, PRESSED, DYED and REPAIRED. Call up telephone 465 and they will call for your work.
16 ARCADE,
Miss JENNIE HAVERLY, Prop.

Sol. D. Bayless lodge will confer the third degree this evening.

The Happen-So club happened in at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E Pickard on Friday evening.

MONEY TO LOAN
On real estate or personal security. C. F. PFEIFFER, rooms 6 and 7 Bass Block. 2lf

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A telephone from the house to the barn does not cost much, but is worth a good deal. EDMUNDS & LAW,
Room 4, Schmitz Block.
Telephone 262. 25t10

A pleasant dancing party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs John M. Connelly on Friday evening. A fine supper was served at midnight.

It's A Capital Place For Clothing. A Handy Place For Hats.

You've heard a deal lately about prices—cut prices, reduced prices, slashed prices, half prices, misfit prices, and so on—but did you ever hear of reversed prices? We're going to offer some heavy DERBY RIBBED MERINO UNDERWEAR at reversed prices this week. We're going to sell—not place on sale, for they'll go a humming—just 32 dozen.

96c.

Shirts and Drawers that are first-class in every respect and all sizes from 34 to 48 breast measure. We're going to reverse this underwear—or the prices rather—and sell them for

69c.

Our 1-4 Off Sale

On all Overcoats, Ulsters and heavy Double Breasted Suits closes at the end of this week. Don't put it off any longer; you'll pay regular prices after that.

Sam, Pete & Max.

The Evening Sentinel.

MONDAY, FEB. 3 1896

OUR TELEPHONES.

Business Office.....No. 172.
Editorial Rooms.....No. 650.

The Weather.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—For Indiana: Clearing tonight, Tuesday fair and cloudy, winds shifting to northerly.

NEWS NOTES.

Mrs Edward Davis gave a thimble party Friday afternoon.

Friday evening Miss Agnes Fry, of East Washington street, gave a birthday party.

Mrs Frank L Hough and son are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Heinlen, of No. 128 West Butler street.

Ben Hur court, No 15, Tribe of Ben Hur, will meet in regular session this evening at Harmony lodge hall, on West Berry street

Mr. Shultz, of Root & Co's store, has been confined to his home on East Creighton avenue, for several days with an attack of grippe.

A few people ventured upon Reservoir lake yesterday and skated for a sort time The ice was not good, but this seemed to be no discouragement to the skaters.

The official board and the congregation of the Wayne street M. E. church will meet tomorrow night, at which time the plans for the new edifice will be fully explained.

R S Patterson, of the firm of Golden & Patterson, was suddenly called to Geneva, N. Y., last night, by the serious illness of his uncle, J. D. Patterson, one of the leading business men of Geneva.

The Relief union during the month of January, 1896, has given fifty-one families groceries, thirty five clothing, furnished supplies for the payment of fifty men in the labor yard and thirty-five women in the work room.

A benefit entertainment will be given at Schroeder's hall this evening by the Sons of Veterans and soldiers' organizations for the benefit of a sick comrade of the G. A. R and his family. The admission will be twenty five cents.

W. Q Judge, national president of the Theosophical society, who was in this city seriously sick for several weeks has recovered and left Saturday night for New York, accompanied by his wife. From New York they will proceed shortly to their home in Boston.

Saturday evening at his home on Madison street, Mr. Dan Marquardt was surprised, the occasion being his birthday. Cards and dancing were the features of the evening, and at 12 o'clock a three course supper was served. About twenty couples were present.

A wreck on the Big Four at Cambridge City, where that line crosses the Lake Erie and Western tracks, caused a delay of two hours in the arrival of the "Muncie" train from the south to-day. The Indianapolis mail comes on that train, and the delay was very annoying to the business men.

Rev. E E Frame, the pastor of the South Congregational church, began last evening a series of Sunday evening lectures on the history, doctrines and polity of the Congregational denomination. Rev. Frame is a practical and interesting talker and handles his themes in an instructive manner.

A surprise party was given in honor of Henry Kra't, at his home, 271 West Washington. Those present were: Misses Clara Miller, Sophia Klepper, Carrie Merz Mable Barlow, Christena Howard and Myrtle Barlow, Messrs. Joe Gruber, Ike Clippinger, Joe Ashley, Harry Alderman, Ed. O Neil and Henry Kra't.

Mrs. Lillian Hollister, supreme commander of the ladies auxiliary of the Maccabees, is holding a school of instruction in degree and other work. This afternoon she met with the ladies of Nos 6 and 27 in the Fort Wayne I O O. F. hall, corner of Wayne and Calhoun streets, and this evening's session of the school will be held in Harmony hall, on West Berry street.

Prof. Wm Miles, assisted by an orchestra and the church choir, rendered a most excellent musical program at the Plymouth Congregational church last evening. The individual special features of the program were "Pro Peccatis," by Mr F E Stouder, "Fac ut Portem," Miss Leo Long; "Inflamatus," Miss Long and Chorus; "Now, Heaven in Fullest Glory Shone," from the "Creation," Mr. C. J. Weber.

Owing to the great number of men and women who have been employed in either the work room or labor yard, the Relief union who furnishes the greater part of the supplies would like donations of clothing, men's, women's and children's. If possible, kindly send to the office, No. 144 Pritchard street, or notify by postal card, and they will be called for. They have an abundant supply of outside garments, unless of extra size.

Butter Down 1c.

Best No 1 Country Roll Butter, 15c lb.
Good Jar Butter, 9c lb.
Fresh Country Eggs, 16c dozen.
Best Sugar Cured Hams, 10c lb.
Best Sugar Cured Shoulders, 7c.
Best Michigan Potatoes, 30c bushel.
FRUIT HOUSE.

Sol D. Bayless lodge No 350 F. and A. M, will confer the third degree to night.

Pine Apples for
Tuesday Morning.

Nice Large Ripe Pine Apples, direct from Havana, 25c each
Choice Jersey Cranberries, 8c quart.
Spanish Malaga Grapes 18c lb.
Best Messina Oranges, 20c dozen.
California Naval Oranges, 35c dozen.
Extra Nice Lemons, 20c dozen.
FRUIT HOUSE.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. G. Schwartz, of Pine street, a bouncing baby boy.

A. I. Friend has gone east to buy goods and also to visit his old home in Maine.

There will be a meeting of Home lodge, No. 342. F. and A. M. to morrow evening

Oliver L. Hartman was the leader of the Epworth league services at the Wayne street M. E church last night and spoke interestingly on the topic, "Personal Work."

Louise Keefer has taken out a permit to erect a three story business building on lot 99, old plat, to cost $2,000 This will replace the building now occupied by the Turkish bath rooms, on Clinton street.

At the meeting of the Fortnightly club this evening Mr. H. W. Ninde will speak on the Silver question and Mr Jacobs, Judge Zollars, Dr. Porter and Mr. Freeman will participate in the discussion.

Mrs Katherine Geiger, an old lady over eighty six years old, was stricken with paralysis Saturday and is lying at the point of death. She is at the home of her brother, Peter Veith, No. 265 East Wayne street.

Invitations have been issued for the marriage of Miss Mattie R. Raub, youngest daughter of Mr. Gustave Raub, to Mr. Philemon B Colerick, on Wednesday afternoon, at 4 o'clock, at the home of the bride.

A letter addressed to the K of L. of this city states that if Ava C. Welch, who is supposed to be in this city, wants to see his father alive, he should hasten to Kenton. The letter is dated from that point February 2.

Dr. Kretsinger is sitting up nowadays and his family is greatly encouraged by his improved condition. THE SENTINEL voices the sentiments of the public when it expresses the hope that the genial doctor will soon be able to attend to his business as of old.

Mrs. Hoenfels gave a delightful card party at the Randall hotel last evening Those present were Messrs and Mesdames Lamley, Julius Nathan, Sol. Rothschild, A. Hersch, Louis Wolf, M. Frank, Oppenheimer, Freiburger, Harry Jacobs, A. Mergenthiem, Sam Chasks, Mrs. Wolf, of Philadelphia, and Messrs. George Heller and Joe Abrons

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THE EMPIRE.

Ladies Free To-Night.

To night, as usual, ladies will be admitted free at the Empire by presenting the coupons printed in Sunday's and to day's papers. Coupons must be of this week's issue. The manager has decided not to admit children in arms; owing to the large crowds children and young girls will not be admitted on coupons.

The attraction this week will be the Casino Specialty company, a very high class vaudeville combination who have been drawing large houses in the east The price of admission remains at 10 cents, no more, no less.

DON'T

Take Building and Loan Stock or Insurance before investigating

THE GERMAN-AMERICAN SAVINGS LIFE ASSOCIATION.

Payments monthly absolutely limited. No fines while out of employment, as time will be extended.

In case of death before twelve months double the amount you have paid in will be paid beneficiary; after twelve months the face value of the certificate.

For further information call at 12 E. Berry Street.

E. C. SMITH, Sec. and Treas.
E. W. HOOVER, Special Agent.

JUST RECEIVED FROM NEW YORK.

New line of novelties in Embroidery materials
Tea Rose and American Beauty shades in Filo Silks, something entirely new.
New and choice designs in Stamped Linens.
A fresh assortment of Stamping Patterns
Lessons given in Art Embroidery at 25c an hour.
Orders taken for infants' outfits, fine hemstitching, etc., at very low prices.

Art Needlework Co.,
22 West Berry Street

Empire Theatre.
West Main Street. 181

WEEK COMMENCING FEB. 3.
Casino Specialty Co.

Admission Always 10 Cents,
No More--No Less.

Ladies Free Monday Night. Cut out Coupon and present at the door.

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3 S. Empire Theatre.
Ladies' Complimentary Ticket
Good Monday Night Only.
Children in arms not admitted. Children and girls not admitted on this coupon.

Four Remedies.

Four Remedies, (Homeopathic) have been put in neat cases with plain directions for their use, and they will be found to be of more value than any others for the cases specified.

No. 1- will prevent colds, cure colds, loosen a cough, subdue fevers and cures neuralgia

No 2-cures congestive headaches, stops bleeding from the nose, and spasms or fits of any kind) in a few moments

No 3 cures indigestion, constipation and piles

No 4-cures catarrh and increases the appetite. For sale by Meyer Bros and C. B. Wordworth Druggists, Fort Wayne, Ind. Price $1.00. jan28 d&w-1m

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Fresh Cut Flowers.

Fine Roses, $1 00, $1 50 and $2.00 per doz.
Carnations, 50c to 75c per doz.

Vesey's Greenhouses,
90 Thompson Ave. Telephone No. 311

HEATON BROS.

Postoffice Drug Store.

Dr. C. E. Heaton has sold his drug store to O. N. and Ben F. Heaton. The business will be continued at the same place, corner Berry and Clinton streets, under the personal management of Ben F. Heaton, assisted by skillful druggists. Handsome improvements will be made to this place of business and a complete stock will be carried. The new firm will be grateful to you for your patronage, which they will endeavor to merit.

Dr. Heaton has formed a co partnership in the general practice of medicine with Dr. C. H. English, formerly of Wells county, Indiana, and their offices are conveniently located in neatly fitted rooms in the rear of the drug store. They have office and residence telephones

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Edmunds & Law have installed a telephone exchange at Ossian. Room 4, Schmitz Block. Telephone 262

Edmunds and Law employ electricians. 1tf

Finest chocolates in the city, at the Chicago bakery. 12tf

Here is a Bargain.

A heavy carved claw-foot oak extension table, polished top, with two center legs, in 6 foot, for $7,50; 8 foot, $9, 10 foot, $10 50, at Fosters. It's a hummer.

Edmunds & Law's first figures are their last figures 1tf

Use White Loaf Flour and your bread will always be moist.

You can depend upon Edmunds & Law. 1tf

Morning Musical Notice.

A complimentary recital will be tendered the members of the Fort Wayne club by the Morning Musical, on Tuesday evening February 4, in the club hall. Each member of the Morning Musical is entitled to an escort.

M. BELLE CLARK, Cor. Sec.

Edmunds & Law will do your electric work promptly. 1tf

ARRESTED FOR KIDNAPPING

A large supply of Groceries at our store last week at the following low prices: All teas just half price. Young Hyson, 18c to 48c lb, Gunpowder, 28c to 40c lb; Oolong, black tea, 25c to 45c lb; Uncolored Japan, 18c to 48c lb; Best Tea Dust, 8c lb, Imperial tea, 40c lb

Lion, Arbuckle and Jersey Coffee, 20c lb; bulk coffee reduced from 2c to 3c lb; nice, fresh, 1 lb Mackerels, only 8c apiece; best 8c Rice, now 4c lb, 10c Rice, now 7c lb; Vanilla Cream Syrup, 20c gallon, formerly sold at 30c; Corn meal, 4c sack; Buckwheat, 8c sack; all 5c soaps 3½c cake, Smoking and Chewing Tobacco reduced from 1c to 20c lb; Crackers, 3½ lb; Bulk Starch, 3½c lb; Oatmeal, 3c lb; Rolled Oats, 3c lb. Big reduction in all package Cereals. Best 12c Sugar Corn, 6c can; all other Canned Goods 1c to 3c per can cheaper. Queen Olives, 70c gallon, Sauer Kraut, 4c quart; Flour, 40c and 80c.

C. E. Noble & Co.,
256 Calhoun Street.

KEEPING IT UP.

OUR BIG COST SALE!

Of Men's and Boys' CLOTHING, CAPS at half price and

UNDERWEAR

At Cost. Will Continue until March 1st.

GOLDEN & PATTERSON,

Leaders of Fashion.
56 Calhoun Street. Opposite Court House.

Speaking tubes are not in it with the telephones sold By Edmunds & Law, Room 4, Schmitz Block. Telephone 262 25t10

A RARE CHANCE.

Commencing January 14, for ten days only we will sell all $40, $35, $30 suits, or any suit in the store, for $22.50.

CHAS. J. ROWELL,
124 Calhoun St,
13tf Lau Building.

Electric telephones are now sold outright. Edmunds & Law sell them, Room 4, Schmitz Block. Telephone 262. 25t10

For Rent.

The double store room, 45 feet front, three stories high, on East Columbia street, occupied now by A. S. Johns & Co., saddlery; will be vacant in about a month; terms, $1,000 per year. Apply at the Fruit House. 31eod3t

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Commence the New Year on New Plans.

The $1 00 monthly plan known as the Tri-State Plan is the best plan in the state to borrow money on pay fast or slow. $1,000 for $10 per month.

Tri-State New Plan for Investors.

If you wish to save money take the A. A. stock. $1 per month. No membership fee. No fines. Call at office, cor. Berry and Court streets, for a maturity table, which will show you the value of your stock each month until maturity.

Tri-State Building & Loan Association.
G. W. PIXLEY, Pres.
C. A. WILDING, Sec'y.

RICHARDSON'S

Garment Cutting and Dressmaking School of Huntington, Ind.

Prof. J. L. Richardson, proprietor of Richardson's Garment Cutting and Dressmaking school, of Huntington, is in the city accompanied by a corps of assistants who will organize a garment cutting and dressmaking school at this place.

Mr. Richardson has a large school at Huntington, Logansport, Peru, Rochester, Wabash, Marion, Decatur, Warren, Elkhart and other points in this state. He comes highly recommended and will have a permanent school at 186 Montgomery street, hereafter, and will guarantee satisfaction to all pupils. Call on

REV. MRS. ELIZA ROBINSON,
General Manager,
186 Montgomery Street, City.

Hanker Dancing Academy,
10 and 12 W. Wayne St.

Beginners Tuesday at 8 o'clock.
Advanced and social, Wednesday at 8.
Special attention given to the waltz.
Private lessons any time not occupied by he classes. For further particulars call at 217 E. Wayne Street.

THE BOSTON STORE.

ALL WINTER UNDERWEAR

Is to be sold at cost to close.

We have opened up a large line of New

Spring Dress Goods

At our usual low prices.

New Styles in SPRING GINGHAMS AND PERCALES at our usual low prices.
Special low prices on MUSLINS and SHEETINGS.

William Hahn & Co.,

THE BOSTON STORE.

An 8 Per Cent. Investment.

SAFE and Profitable.

The Prepaid stock issued by The Indiana Farmers Savings & Loan Association, bears a guaranteed interest of 8 per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, secured by mortgages on improved real estate. The mortgages of this Association are deposited with The Indiana Trust Company of Indianapolis, in trust, for the security of the investors, thus making the investment an ABSOLUTELY safe one.

If you have any surplus money to invest, it will pay you to call and investigate our plans; we can satisfy the most critical.

No membership fee charged in this stock. A few good agents wanted.

The Indiana Farmers Savings & Loan Ass'n.
Office 2nd Floor, 32 E. Berry St.
R. C. Bell, Pres. C. E. Rhoades, Secy.

AL HAZZARD'S "NATIONAL" 10 CT. CIGAR

AT MORTON HALL,
Cor. Wayne and Calhoun Sts.

The teachers will meet any who desire to take Dancing, morning, afternoon or evening.

BEGINNERS—Monday and Wednesday evenings.
ADVANCED—Tuesday and Friday evenings.
JUVENILE CLASSES—Saturday afternoon.
Private classes may be formed and may have an evening to themselves, as we have full control of the hall.
Private Lessons at any time.

FARNAN DANCING ACADEMY.

Telephone Notice.

The Home Telephone Company composed entirely of Fort Wayne people, has contracted to supply its service to over 700 hundred people at rates 40 per cent lower than a like service has ever been furnished in this city. We are still making contracts and request all persons to see us before becoming bound for any other service.

Each subscriber will have his own individual wire, insuring absolute privacy to all of his telephone messages.

The Home Telephone and Telegraph Co.

ALTERATION SALE!

Our Store Will be Remodeled!

The Ringing of the Hammer and the Hissing of the Saw to be Heard in a Few Days, and Revolution to Run Riot at

THE BELL CLOTHING STORE!

And the Sensational **ALTERATION SLAUGHTER SALE** Goes Into Effect

MONDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 3rd, 1896.

The contract for the Store Alteration has been let, and the work of tearing out the old Fixtures will begin March 1st. **WE MUST HAVE ROOM,** the workmen say, and the only way to give it to them is to sell the Goods and get them out of the House.

Come And Help Us, And By Doing so Help Yourself!

We have put Prices down on the Goods so as to make things move.

LISTEN!

Men's Overcoats that were $7, $8 and $9, ALTERATION PRICE, $3 00.
Men's Overcoats that were $10, $11 and $12, ALTERATION PRICE, $5 00.
Men's Overcoats that were $15, $18 and $20, ALTERATION PRICE, $7 50.
Men's Suits that were $8, $9, $10 and $12, ALTERATION PRICE, $5 00.
Men's Suits that were $14, $16, $18 and $20, ALTERATION PRICE, $7.50.
Children's Suits that were $2 50, $2 75 and $3 00 ALTERATION PRICE, $1.40.
Children's Suits that were $3 25, $3 50 and $4, ALTERATION PRICE, $1.98.
Children's Overcoats that were $1 50, $1.75 and $2, ALTERATION PRICE, 75c.
Children's Overcoats that were $2 25, $2 50 and $2 75, ALTERATION PRICE, $1.50.

MEN'S PANTS.

Men's Working Pants that were $1.50, ALTERATION PRICE, 92c.
Men's Worsted Pants that were $1 75, ALTERATION PRICE, 97c.
Men's Cassimere Pants that were $2 50, ALTERATION PRICE, $1.24.

READ!

MEN'S HATS.

All there is left of our regular $1 Men's Soft Hats, ALTERATION PRICE, 48c.
All there is left of our regular $1 50 Fedoras, black and brown, ALTERATION PRICE, 88c.
All there is left of our regular $2, $2 50 and $3.00 Men's Fedora, Pasha or Stiff Hats, ALTERATION PRICE, $1 25.

UNDERWEAR.

All thats left of our regular 37c, 39c, 44c, 48c and 50c Shirts or Drawers, ALTERATION PRICE, 25c.
All that's left of our regular 68c, 74c, 88c and 92c Shirts or Drawers, ALTERATION PRICE, 50c.

GLOVES.

25c Men's all wool Scotch Gloves, including all our 50c ones, ALTERATION PRICE, 25c.
48c. Those heavy lined Dogskin Gloves, for dress and street wear, that we sold at 75c and 89c, ALTERATION PRICE, 48c.
98c. Here go all our finest wool lined Gloves in fine kid, colt skin, dog skin, etc; some of 'em sold as high as $2 50, others $1 50 and $2, ALTERATION PRICE, 98c.
Men's regular 45c Working Shirts, ALTERATION PRICE, 25c.

THE BELL,

S. H. EPSTEIN & BRO. 18 Calhoun Street. S. H. EPSTEIN & BRO.

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LIGHT out of DARKNESS.

That memorable story by Mrs. Henry Ward Beecher, will appear in THE SENTINEL, commencing Tuesday, February 4th. Look for it. Read it. . . . . .

NOTICE!

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PERILS OF THE DEEP.

Thrilling Experience of a Ship-Wrecked Party.

Fire Breaks Out in the Hold of the Parthia and the Crew Abandon the Vessel.

PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., Feb. 3.—The ship, Louis Wiask, from Callao, brought two of the crew, Steward Chase and Cook Mitchell, from the ship, Parthia, which was burned at sea several weeks ago, 300 miles southwest of Juan Fernandez island. The Parthia was coal laden from Liverpool to San Francisco. The first intimation that the ship was afire was when a dense volume of smoke burst through the main hatch. Knowing the coal was full of gas and apprehensive lest an explosion should occur, three boats in charge of Captain Carter and his first and second mate respectively were launched and well provisioned. The same afternoon, when the boats were three miles distant, the ship blew up and sank. Spontaneous combustion was the origin of the fire. Four days the three boats remained together, when a storm came on and the second mate's boat was lost sight of. The water filled the boats and all the crew could do was to keep them baled out. Then it was necessary to throw overboard all the men's clothes and nearly all the provisions. The captain and first officer's boats reached Juan Fernandez Island and from there they were taken to Valparaiso by a Chilian man of war.

The second mate's boat had a severe time and was sixteen days reaching Valparaiso. For six days they were without water and food. David Jones, an American actor, who was a passenger, became insane and was tied down for two days, when he died and was buried at sea. The other occupants almost despaired of reaching shore and were considering the advisability of resorting to extreme measures, when a wind sprung up and quickly carried their boat to Valparaiso, where the crew was taken ashore unconscious and nearly dead.

LANDMARK GONE.

Unitarian Church on Meeting House Hill Burned.

The Historic Structure Completely Demolished—Four Brave Firemen Severely Injured.

BOSTON, Feb. 3.—The historic First Unitarian church on "Meeting House Hill," Dorchester, a familiar land mark and the oldest church in the district, was destroyed by fire today. The loss is estimated at $30,000, but this amount is covered by insurance. The most valuable appurtenances of the church, which were kept in the vestry at the rear, were saved. A new organ, presented to the church by Deacon Henry Humphrey in 1892, which was directly above the place where the fire started and the clock and chime of bells in the tower, were a total loss. Four firemen were injured by a falling wall on the east side which completely enveloped them but they were rescued by their comrades. The injured are:

Captain Blanchard, severely burned and internal injuries.

Fireman Hoyt, wrist broken and burned.

Samuel Ridler, burned about head and internal injuries.

John Gavin, bad scalp wound.

WOMEN AS COLLECTORS.

Merchants Give Their Bad Bills to Missionary Societies.

AKRON, Ohio, Feb. 3.—A novel plan of collecting bad debts and getting some satisfaction from dead beats has been agreed upon by the merchants of Cuyahoga Falls. Each has agreed to present to the women's missionary societies all old bills which are regarded as worthless. The women will make an attempt to realize on the accounts, and are sanguine of getting a nice sum of money out of them. Instead of collectors, prominent women will wait on the slow pay people and by appealing to their better natures hope to make them pay.

COIT FOUND NOT GUILTY.

Jury Exonerates Militia Commander After Being Out Three Days.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Feb. 3.—The jury in the Coit case at Circleville returned a verdict of not guilty. The jury was out three days. Col. A. B. Coit was indicted for manslaughter by the grand jury of Fayette county. He commanded the militia which fired into the mob at Washington Court House in October, 1894. The trial was begun before the holidays. The verdict is of vital interest to the national guard of the state.

ON THE RAMPAGE.

The Brazos River Plays Havoc With Shipping Interests.

FORT WORTH, Texas, Feb. 3.—The Brazos river is still rising at Columbia. It rose fifteen feet in twenty hours and its current is equal to that of a mountain stream. Seven vessels belonging to the Columbia Transportation company were swept away. The river is now out of its banks and is sweeping over the surrounding country. Near Navasota the Brazos and Navasota rivers have united and are twelve miles wide. Two miles of the Santa Fe railroad track is submerged.

LUMBER TRADE BOOMING.

China Sends Agents Here to Buy Our Saw Mill Products.

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 3.—An agent of the Chinese government has come to the coast to place and order for about 50,000,000 feet of lumber. Most of it is intended for the construction and repair of government buildings. The agent says indications are good for a healthy revival of the lumber trade throughout China and Japan this and next year.

FREE SILVER OR BONDS.

The House Refers the Free Coinage Substitute

Bill to the Ways and Means Committee—Will Be Reported Back Tomorrow.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—The senate free coinage substitute for the house bond bill was referred to the ways and means committee as soon as it reached the house today. Under the rules a motion to concur could not be made. It will be reported back tomorrow or Wednesday with the recommendation that the house non-concur and insist upon its bill. Mr. Bingley, chairman of the ways and means committee, says that "reasonable time" for debate will be allowed. The silver men are asking for two days in which to discuss the bill. The fate of the substitute is so well assured that the house program excites almost no interest except for the fact that it will furnish the first direct test of the free silver vote at from 100 to 125, the latter figure being the limit prophecied by the most sanguine silver democrats. Mr. Hartman, of Montana, predicts that the republican vote for the silver substitute will be thirty-five or forty, and Mr. Bailey, of Texas, says that about 70 of the 105 democrats in the house can be relied upon to support any free silver proposition. These estimates are based on the supposition of a full attendance which may not materialize, for there are many absentees this week. There are several southern republicans, new members, who are an uncertain factor upon the financial question. Silver men are preparing speeches upon the financial question and are anxious for a much longer debate than the opponents of free coinage.

BOYCOTT MOVE.

The Goods in Question are Bicycle Supplies.

The International Polishers Ask the American Federation of Labor to Take the Matter Up.

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb 3.—William Cowall, of Toledo, Ohio, secretary of the International Polishers, is in consultation today with the executive council of the American Federation of Labor, asking for endorsement of the action of the polishers in declaring the Overman goods, manufactured at Chicopee Falls, Mass., to be "unfair," as that factory employs non-union help. The executive committee has agreed to so declare and information to this effect will be sent to the association of the federation. The goods in question are bicycles and bicycle supplies.

THROUGH THE HEART.

Stephen B. French Takes His Own Life.

Worries Over Business Matters Until His Mind Becomes Deranged and He Shoots Himself.

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—Former Police Commissioner Stephen B. French, committed suicide to day by shooting himself through the heart. For some time Mr. French has been moody and despondent, and recently told his wife that he was worried over business matters. At another time he said to Mrs. French, "You would be better off if I were not here." His friends have observed that both in appearance and in conversation Mr. French was not quite himself. So far as is known there was no adequate cause for his suicide.

BERLINER PATENT.

Its Validity up for a Hearing in the Supreme Court.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—In the United States supreme court today the solicitor general moved to advance the hearing of the telephone case involving the validity of the Berliner patent to an early day in the next term. It was important, he said, to secure an early disposition of the case, saying that the Bell telephone receiver having become public property, the Berliner and Edison patents are the only obstacles in the way of the free use of the the microphone transmitter in practical form, and that with these patents out of the way the telephone would become so much cheaper that its use would be widely extended.

As if catarrh is not bad enough by itself. Those who suffer from it are often tormented by a cough, due to irritation of the throat by the catarrhal discharges from the nasal passages. The torment ceases after a few doses of Ely's Pinrols Balsam, which cures with nature's own remedies, the gums and balsams. It is healing to raw, tender throats. Asthmatic patients find that it makes their breathing much easie and their spasms less severe. To free yourself of catarrh use Ely's Cream Balm.

Arthur, the five years old son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry McMullin, is recovering from a serious illness. He was sick several days and then the malady developed into rose bleed. This continued for three days, but yesterday the little fellow showed signs of improvement and now he is getting along nicely.

MAMMOTH TRUST

Which Controls the Lumber Interests of the Pacific Coast.

It Will Regulate the Products of the Mills and Also Lumber Shipped to Foreign Ports.

PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., Feb. 3.—The biggest trust ever formed on the Pacific coast, and representing a capital of over $70,000,000 has been consummated and went into effect last night. It is the Central Lumber company of California and its membership includes every lumber mill, all ship owners, wholesale and retail dealers of the western coast of the United States and British Columbia. All charters of vessels and sales of lumber must be effected through the Central Lumber company, which regulates freight and puts the buying and selling price on all lumber, regulating also the product of each mill and the proportionate amount of lumber each vessel shall carry during the year. Not only are the markets of the Pacific coast thus controlled, but the lumber shipments to foreign countries are placed under the same restrictions. Every mill on the coast has its product regulated. In Puget Sound the daily output is 1,400,000 feet, in the same proportion every other lumber mill on the coast is regulated, but the regulations do not apply to shipments by rail to eastern points. The first order issued by the company was to advance the price of lumber $2 per thousand. Last year the estimated product of the coast was 600,000,000 feet, and the advance will enhance the profits of the mill owners the coming year over $1,000,000. The deal was made to include manufacturers dealers and freight carriers. Members of the trust claim they have been manufacturing lumber for several years at actual cost, and that the dealers in foreign and coast wise markets were reaping all the profits. Under the new prices, they say, the employes will be paid better wages and the timber men receive higher profits for their logs. Although capitalized at $10 000,000, no other corporation on the Pacific coast controls such vast interests. More than 150 ocean sailing vessels come under their control.

GRAVE ROBBERS

Frightened Away Before Accomplishing Their Purpose.

The Coffin Lid Was Broken and the Body Had Been Pulled Half Way Out.

MORRISTOWN, Ind., February 3.—Mrs. Elizabeth Dennis died last Tuesday of paralysis and was buried in the Shiloh cemetery, four miles north of here. Yesterday persons passing noticed that the grave had been disturbed. Investigation showed that a hole had been dug as far as the box covering the coffin and this and the glass door of the inner casket were broken with a heavy scantling. Then the grave-robbers attempted to pull the remains out at the opening, but were evidently frightened away before accomplishing their purpose. The right arm, shoulder and the head were found protruding from the opening.

A PRACTICAL JOKE

Turns Out to be a Serious Matter for a Young Man.

A young man named Mason was painfully injured Saturday evening by the explosion of a gun like contrivance with which some fellows were playing jokes on some others. The thing was loaded with powder, and when one of the jokers struck another person with the "paddle" end of it the powder would explode like a shotgun. Mason received the powder and gun wads in his leg. The accident happened on East Columbia street. Mason was taken to his rooms at the residence of Victor A. Hugersard, No. 61 East Superior street, where Dr. Maurice Rosenthal attended him.

THE WORKING GIRLS.

Program of Their Entertainment at A. O. U. W. Hall This Evening.

Following is a program of the entertainment and hop to be given this evening in A. O. U. W. hall, on the corner of Calhoun and Superior streets, by the Working Girls' union:

Instrumental	Miss Louisa Kaenel
Address	Mrs. J. M. Robinson
Recitation	Miss Belle Bunker
Song, by request	Mr. J. Lindsey
Recitation	Miss Myrtle McCay
Guitar Solo	Miss Ada Miller
Recitation	Miss Nellie Brown
Song	Miss Laura Rogers
Tableau	By Eleven Union Girls

Mr. I. H. Case, of the Kimball Piano company, has kindly donated the use of a piano for the social.

MYRIADS OF GHOSTS.

Undertook to Investigate the Secret of a Haunted House.

PERU, Feb. 3.—The report which has been current for some days to the effect that a house in this city was haunted was investigated by a party of people, who report all kinds of strange noises and tapping which were very mysterious and could not be accounted for and that the grand finale came by a grand scare by the whole army of ghosts, which so frightened the crowd that they rushed from the house, and, it is claimed, some of them are still going, but the ghost still holds forth waiting new victims.

Advance Prices.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Feb. 3.—The Wire Nail Manufacturers' association has addressed a circular letter to jobbing trade, giving notice of another advance in prices of fifteen cents per hundred weight. This will change the base rate from $2 25 to $2 40 per hundred weight, which is the highest price asked for wire nails in many years. Only a year or so ago the base price was eighty five cents.

SPANISH CRUELTY.

Are as Barbarous as the Kurds in Armenia.

Killed Defenseless Women in the Streets and Shot Prisoners in Cold Blood.

KEY WEST, Fla., Feb. 3.—Sometime ago, when the insurgents entered Sabanilli, the Spanish officials report states that they were driven out by the garrison and that "unfortunately three women were killed by stray bullets." The truth of what happened there has just been learned and it shows the Spaniards are acting in as barbarous manner as the Kurds in Armenia.

Sabanilli, which is an important town in Matanzas province, was entered by 400 insurgents under Garcia. The Spanish regulars retreated to the barracks and made no resistance. The Spanish volunteers, however, retreated to the church and fired on the insurgents. The insurgents returned the fire, killing five volunteers. The volunteers then ceased firing.

The inhabitants received the insurgents joyfully and many poor people who had eaten nothing but cane were fed by Garcia, who made the merchants open their stores, and told the people to take food. Thirty stores were looted of provisions, and one storekeeper was shot for resisting. The insurgents then retired.

As soon as they were gone the Spanish volunteers came out of the church and opened fire on the people in the streets. Forty-six were killed, thirty of whom were women and children, their only offense being the reception of the insurgents and taking food to save themselves from starvation. After shooting these people the volunteers took ten Cubans who had surrendered, on promise of amnesty, and shot them in cold blood.

Two thousand men, women and children have reached Matanzas from Sabanilli. They fled, fearing further massacres by the Spanish volunteers.

These are facts vouched for by Mayor Juan Galvez, of Sabanilli, who is in Havana to ask General Marin to punish the volunteers.

NO EXTRA SESSION.

Gov. Matthews Not to Take Steps for a New Apportionment.

Believes That the Eligibility of the Holdover Senators Should Not Be Questioned.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Feb. 3.—The probability of an extra session of the legislature to settle the complications growing out of the recent decision of the supreme court on the apportionment act was peremptorily settled today by Governor Matthews, who authorizes the statement that he will not call the general assembly together, and that his resolve in this respect is fixed. In doing so he expressed the opinion that the election of the next members of the legislature should be under the law of 1885.

"I have decided that I will not call a special session," said Governor Matthews, 'and this is a matter which I alone can decide. The question regarding the eligibility of the hold-over senators, however, is not within my province, and I give it only as a matter of opinion that their eligibility should not be questioned. I believe, also, that the next legislature should be elected under the law of 1885, though I cannot say, of course, what may be done. In no event, however, will I call a special session."

NEARLY BLIND!

Rev. Joseph Cook Suffering from Nervous Prostration.

Will Be Taken to Lake George Where It is Hoped He Will Recover.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 3.—Joseph Cook, of Boston, who recently returned from Australia and Japan, is at the sanitarium, Clifton Springs, suffering from an acute form of nervous prostration.

He is nearly blind, owing to a weakness of the optic nerve. He will be taken to his cottage at Lake George early in the spring, where it is hoped he will recover.

TWO MILLIONS LOST.

Fire Destroys Big Buildings in Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Feb. 3.—Chestnut street, above Broad, was visited early yesterday morning by one of the fiercest fires this city has known for years. The seven story building of Charles H. Baeckino, 1416 and 1418 Chestnut street, and the adjoining fivestory structure of the Baptist Publication society and the American Baptist Historical society were destroyed. The buildings damaged by fire and water and falling walls were the four story dry goods house of Homer, Le Boutillier & Co., 1412 and 1414, the dwelling at 1422 owned by the Wistar estate and the Hotel Lafayette at Broad and Sansom streets. On either side of the main entrance to the Haseltine building were the piano warerooms of Hallet & Davis at 1416, and of Steinway & Co. at 1418. The two Baptist societies lost large and valuable collections of paintings, books and curios. The detailed losses are estimated as close to $2,000,000. It is thought that this is covered by insurance.

FOUND TRACKS

Of the Grave Robbers Who Were in Lindenwood.

William Walde Lives Over the Route Through the Cemetery—John Aiken's Discovery.

There can be no further doubt that the story told by William Walde, jr., in regard to the experience he had with grave robbers in Lindenwood cemetery, is absolutely correct. Walde has told of the occurrence several times and under various circumstances which would have certainly caused him to mix up the narrative, at least in some particular or in some detail, but this he has never done. Each time the story is the same. This, as every fair minded person must concede, would be an impossibility if Walde was telling a story which he had manufactured with the aid of his imagination.

Every new development in the matter goes to prove the truth of the story. As stated in THE SENTINEL Saturday Walde agreed to make a detailed sworn statement to Prosecutor Doughman and Deputy Prosecutor Aiken. This promise he fulfilled Saturday evening. He went to Prosecutor Doughman's office and made his statement so clear and straight, and made an affidavit to its truthfulness, that the prosecutor and deputy are both fully convinced that he saw exactly what he described.

After the statement had been taken Prosecutor Doughman said to a SENTINEL reporter:

"Walde is telling a perfectly straight story. He saw the grave robbers, the corpse and everything else just as he says he did. His story is the same as published in THE SENTINEL. Officers of the cemetery association were confident that when it came to the test the young man would flinch, but he has not done so."

Deputy Prosecutor Aiken said: "We were unable to get Walde tangled up in making his statement, therefore I am positive he has told the truth. He told it to us as it was published in THE SENTINEL, with the exception of a few minor details. My theory is that the grave robbers were not Fort Wayne people, but that they came from some other city, may be Chicago, and expected to get the body, place it in a trunk and then get away on one of the night trains."

In order to obtain, if possible, more information about the case, Walde was asked by THE SENTINEL to accompany two reporters of this paper to Lindenwood cemetery and point out the route he took through the grounds and locate, if possible, the grave which had been desecrated. He readily consented and went out with the two SENTINEL men.

He found the place where he climbed the fence and entered the cemetery from the road. From that point he started over the hills through the cemetery, following, as nearly as he could remember the same route he took on the night in question. When he had reached a place where there were three new graves only a short distance apart he stopped and remarked:

"Here is where it happened. I am not positive which grave it was but I think it was that one," and he pointed toward a particular grave. Continuing, he said: "I was so badly frightened that I am afraid it would be impossible for me to tell exactly which one it was."

From the three graves he was asked to follow the route taken by himself and the two grave robbers to the fence and then to the creek into which the latter dumped about a half bushel of dirt which they were unable to use in filling up the grave. He traced the route carefully and later went over it again, both times exactly alike.

Whether or not the graves or any of them had been disturbed, of course, cannot be told, although each one of the visiting party formed his own conclusion.

The result of the trip was that Walde proved conclusively that he had been in the cemetery at the time he said he was.

Just after Walde had left Lindenwood and started back to the city and before THE SENTINEL reporters departed Deputy Prosecutor Aiken arrived at the cemetery. He wanted to make a thorough investigation of the matter and gather any clues that he could discover.

THE SENTINEL reporters took him to the place where the three graves were located and he made a careful examination of every one, taking note of all the surroundings and every feature that was at all suspicious.

He climbed over the west fence at the point where Walde went over on the way to the creek. Mr. Aiken at once commenced a scrutiny of the soft, damp ground for footprints. He had not looked long until he struck a trail. The footsteps of three men were plainly visible, and they led from the fence, at the exact point designated by Walde, direct to the creek and to the exact spot where Walde said the men had dumped the dirt into the stream. From that point Mr. Aiken easily followed the same footprints straight along the bank of the creek to the fence along the Huntington road, where Walde says he and the grave robbers entered the wagon and drove away.

Tracks were also found and followed which led from the Huntington road fifty yards west of Lindenwood, to the west fence of the cemetery. These showed where two men had walked, and it is safe to say that they were the tracks of the two body snatchers as they went to their work.

These tracks were all old. They had been made several days ago and they were perfectly plain and distinct. The discovery of them fully convinced Deputy Prosecutor Aiken that the attempted grave robbery actually occurred just as Walde described it. They corresponded fully with the routes Walde had pointed out.

After finishing his investigation Mr. Aiken remarked to THE SENTINEL reporters. "The Cemetery association owes it as a duty to itself and to the public that it shall spare no pains to run this matter down to the bottom. I think some of these graves should be opened so we could tell whether or not they have been disturbed."

Yesterday a great many people visited Lindenwood cemetery, some through curiosity and others to see whether or not the graves of their friends or relatives had been disturbed. One or two parties had graves opened yesterday for the latter purpose, but they were in an entirely different part of the cemetery. They were found to have been untouched.

Prosecutor Doughman and Deputy Aiken say that nothing will be left undone to fathom the matter clear to the bottom.

THE SENTINEL has been informed, upon what should be the best of authority, that there is in Fort Wayne a man who for a number of years has followed grave robbing as a business. This man is said to live on East Lewis street. Our informant says he made overtures to the faculty of the Fort Wayne Medical college to furnish bodies to the college for $25 a piece. The faculty declined the offer, because the college is supplied with cadavers sufficient for their use in the legal and legitimate manner. Whether or not this professional body snatcher was mixed up in this case is not known.

A MISSING MAN.

Henry Lelb Mysteriously Disappears From Home.

He Had Trouble Over Property and Relatives Fear He Has Committed Suicide.

Chris Dieberling, who lives on the corner of Clay and Madison streets, called at the police station this afternoon and reported that Henry Leib, an old man, had been missing from home since last night at 7 o'clock.

Dieberling said Lieb was his uncle. The latter is about seventy-nine years of age. He has been having some difficulty of late over some property and the family are fearful that he has wandered away and committed suicide. Leib lived with the Dieberling family at the place mentioned above. He is a plasterer by trade.

Dieberling informed the police that they should say that he would pay a reward of $25 for information that will disclose the whereabouts of the old man and lead to his return home. The family are very much worried over his disappearance and are using every effort to find him.

DELIGHTFUL BANQUET.

Insurance Agents Royally Feasted at the Randall Hotel.

A pleasant event, indeed, was the banquet given at the Randall hotel Saturday night to the agents of the Prudential Insurance company in the Fort Wayne district. It is the custom of the company to give a complimentary banquet each year to its Fort Wayne agents, this being the third one, which has been served at the popular Randall.

The dining room was a bower of beauty. The huge table was decorated with potted plants and natural cut flowers. Landlord "Dick" served the banquet in ten courses and it was a magnificent spread and one which delighted all present.

Toasts were responded to as follows:

The Ordinary Branch	C. F. Houghton
The Industrial Branch	C. L. Williams
The Medical Examiner	Dr. E. J. Metcalf
Our Agents	J. F. Brown
The Respected Ass't Supt.	D. E. Keefer
Value of the Agent	M. Sullivan
Our Ass't Supt.	F. E. Keefer
What I Know About Insurance	H. Duncan
The Supervisor of Agents	C. E. Williams
Collections	C. E. Williams
The Prudential	H. F. Hamburg

The affair was under the management of H. F. Hamburg, of this city, superintendent of this district. Those present were H. F. Hamburg, superintendent; C. F. Houghton, assistant superintent, E. J. Metcalf, medical examiner; M. Sullivan, F. T. Williams, N. I. Nicholl, G. W. Cleo, B. Collins, C. L. Williams, H. Duncan, W. F. Fleming, A. L. Cartwright, E. Shellabarger and E. Nicholl, of Fort Wayne; T. J. Frows, assistant superintendent; E. E. Keefer, N. G. Hildebrand and J. E. Pilcher, of Huntington; G. H. Keefer, assistant superintendent; Dr. E. Horlon, medical examiner, and A. W. Relf, of Bluffton.

TWO VICTIMS LIKELY TO DIE.

An Explanation of the Poisoning of a Family in Rochester, N. Y.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb 3.—The condition of Martin Lynn and his wife, who were found unconscious in their residence yesterday suffering from the effects of poison mysteriously administered, still remains unchanged. At midnight they had not recovered consciousness. The children are out of danger. It is thought by some that the poison may have been administered by Miss Lynn, the sister, who was found in the house dead, while she was suffering from mental unsoundness, brought about by her diseased condition.

Philadelphia has long possessed a horse zoological garden. So has Cincinnati. New York has at length developed so much civic pride and enterprise that she is going to have one too.

INSTANT DEATH

Came to Peter Rosselot This Forenoon.

He Was Ascending the Lakeside Electric Light Tower.

The Elevator Cable Broke and a Heavy Weight Fell, Striking Him on the Head.

Peter Rosselot, a lamp trimmer in the employ of the Jenney Electric Light and Power company, was instantly killed shortly before noon today while at work on a tower in Lakeside. Death was so sudden that he never knew what struck him.

It was Rosselot's duty to climb the high electric light towers in the various sections of the city every day and trim the lamps, clean them up and provide them with new carbons, etc.

The tower in Lakeside is provided with a sort of an elevator, by means of which the trimmer was enabled to reach the top more easily. The elevator had a basket in which the man stood on the way up. A cable with a weight on the other end drew up the basket.

Rosselot had entered the basket this forenoon to make his usual ascent. When he had reached a height of perhaps twenty five feet from the bottom of the tower there was a sudden snapping of the cable. The line broke and the heavy weight dropped from above it struck Rosselot on the head, shrushing his skull and causing instant death.

There is a mechanism on the elevator basket for the purpose of preventing the basket from falling in case the cable should ever break. Consequently, when the line parted the basket remained suspended in mid-air, with the victim of the terrible accident inside.

Some people who witnessed the accident immediately summoned the patrol wagon. Officer Hines accompanied the wagon, but when he came to the spot he was unable to reach the basket. He sent for some men from the electric light power station and they climbed the tower and lowered the body to the ground. The lifeless man was in the basket for about an hour.

The remains were turned over to Kerlin & Bloom, who removed them to their undertaking establishment.

Rosselot was a married man and leaves a wife and three children. He was about thirty five years of age. His home was at No. 85 Putnam street, on the north side.

MRS. HENRY STOLL.

Her Death Occurs This Morning From Paralysis.

She Had Suffered With the Disease Since Last Thursday—Edward Werner Dead.

Mrs. Henry Stoll, wife of the custodian of the government building, died this morning from paralysis. She was stricken with the disease last Thursday, but on Saturday she appeared to be improving, but her death occurred this morning, at the family residence, No. 25 Second street. She was the mother of Henry Stoll, the Pittsburg railway detective. The time for the funeral has not yet been set.

WERNER

Edward Werner, aged one year, died at the residence of his parents, on Eckert street, yesterday, from obstruction of the bowels. The funeral occurs tomorrow at the residence at 2 o'clock, Rev. Sauer officiating.

MERIAN.

Mrs. Mary Meehan died Saturday at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. George Ohneck, near the Feeble Minded home. She was aged seventy-five years and her death was caused by the infirmities that were brought on by old age.

She was born in Dublin, Ireland, August 25, 1823, and came to America when quite young with her husband, who died several years ago.

She leaves three children, Mrs. George Ohneck and Mrs. Frank Rogers, of this city, and Mrs. T. J. Guinn, of Glenwood Springs, Colo.

The funeral was held at 9:30 o'clock this morning at the Cathedral.

ENTERTAINING PROGRAM

Which Will be Given This Evening at Trinity Parish House.

This evening the following program will be given in the Parish house of Trinity Episcopal church and will be followed by the serving of tea:

Minuet.
Margaret Jane O'Rourke, Alice Louise Fritz, Peggy Laura Case, Master Charlie Hanna, Lawrence Young, George White, Jack Arthur Robinson.
Vocal solo ..... Lena Marie Wesselman
Mrs. H. S. Bach, Mrs. W. S. Lash.
Vocal solo ..... Lenore on the Sparrow's Lea
Miss Alice Hervey.
Quartette ..... Selected
Misses Louise Hamilton, Grace Bass, Alice Greenleaf, Mr. Lee Shiveley, Mr. Lawrence Orbison.
Pianoforte Solo ..... Witold Rejski Pierne
Chorus ..... Auld Lang Syne

RECKLESS DRIVING.

Is Nearly Kills a Young Woman on Calhoun Street.

A young woman whose name could not be learned came near being the victim of a terrible accident last Saturday evening as a result of the careless and reckless driving of a man with a delivery wagon. This man was coming east on Wayne street and turned the corner onto Calhoun street at a rapid rate, without even looking there whether or not any one was in the way. A young lady was crossing Calhoun street at the time and the horses struck her. She was knocked down and rolled over and under their feet. Dr. English happened to see the accident and he rushed to the lady's assistance. He drew her from her perilous position and found that she was unharmed. The driver then drove away at as rapid a gait as he could, apparently caring not whether he killed anyone or not. Such driving should be stopped by the police.

KICKED IN A DOOR.

William Block and Oscar B. Miller Arrested.

They Tried to Break Into Mrs. Nierman's House—Put Began Wanted to Visit His Girl.

Police court drew a good sized crowd this morning. The court room was well filled with spectators, who, no doubt, expected to hear something sensational.

William Block and Oscar B. Miller were arrested early this morning for malicious trespass. They went to the residence of Mrs. Nierman, No. 171 Erie street, at about two o'clock and wanted to get in. Both were drunk. Mrs. Nierman refused to admit them and they proceeded to break windows and doors. Block smashed a window and in doing so cut his hand. Miller kicked in a front door. The police were notified and Sergeant Daseler and officer Richardson found the two men in the greenhouse not far from Mrs. Nierman's house. Mayor Oakley found them guilty of malicious trespass and fined them $11 50 each.

Pat Reagan was also before the mayor. He was arrested at about midnight by Officer Harkenrider for trying to get into a house on Spy Run avenue. She was sick on Saturday and sent for him to come and see her in the evening. After he got through work Reagan became intoxicated. At about midnight he went to the house and could not arouse anyone. He could not make his girl hear him, so he started to raise a window in order to get in to see her. He was pretty full and the result was that he broke the window and made a great noise. This aroused the man of the house who hurried out and captured the supposed burglar. Reagan gave himself up and sat on the front stoop of the house until Officer Harkenrider arrived. This morning in police court he told his story and the girl was there to corroborate his. He showed plainly that he had not intended to commit a burglary or any other crime, so the mayor assessed a fine of $10 50 for intoxication. Reagan had no money so his girl went out and in a few minutes she returned with the necessary cash. She paid his fine and they went away, locked arms and under an umbrella built for two.

George Petgen, another one of the gang of alleged boy burglars who have been operating in the south part of the city for some time past, was captured at Warsaw last Saturday and brought to this city in the evening. This morning in police court he was given a preliminary hearing. Mayor Oakley sent him to the circuit court. Saturday the other three members of the gang, Tom Cook, Harry Cook and a boy named McCain, were given a hearing and were also bound over.

TWO DIVORCES.

Boseker vs. Boseker and Bishop vs Bishop.

Judge O'Rourke Gives Them a Legal Separation—Criminals in Circuit Court.

In the call of divorce cases today Judge O'Rourke did not get farther along than the "B's" in the alphabet.

The first case reached was that of Nettie Boseker against Harry Boseker. The plaintiff was given a divorce.

The next case was that of Delila Bishop against William Bishop. The plaintiff in this case was also given divorce.

E. V. Emrick was the plaintiff attorney in both cases.

The new term of the circuit court opened this morning, but, aside from the arraignment of several criminals, nothing of an interesting character was done.

Tony Gardner, who was arrested for stealing overcoats, was given a sentence of ninety days in jail. The trial of Ed Moran was set for March 23, and that of Leonard McCrory and Ben Moore for March 3.

The Bollinger case occupies the attention of Judge Dawson and a jury in the superior court.

Koons and Howe, accused of stealing chickens, will have their trial in the circuit court on February 17.

Harry Cook and his brother, George Pigeon, Herbert McGuire, and McCain, arrested for stealing tools from the Bradley carpenter shop, were arraigned in the circuit court this morning. Pigeon and McGuire were released on bail. The Cook boys entered no pleas.

The county commissioners have refused to grant a liquor license to George Ward, who desired to open a saloon at Harlan. Ward was refused a license some time ago to sell brain-destroying stuff at Maysville.

Lord Leighton's Funeral.

LONDON, Jan. 3.—A large crowd of people watched the departure, this morning, of the funeral procession conveying the remains of the late Lord Leighton, president of the Royal academy, from the Royal academy, to the steps of the cathedral.

Colonel Thompson Dead.

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—Col. W. P. Thompson, president of the National Lead company, died of pneumonia today.

NO SECRET

IN THIS WOMAN'S

Mrs. Campbell Wishes Her Letter Published so that the Truth May Be Known.

Mrs. Campbell

Mrs. Campbell, who resides at 1 Pearl street, Allston, Mass., writes: "I was taken with the worst form of female weakness, and was confined to my bed for four weeks. The doctor called it inflammation of the womb, and said that I must undergo an operation. I was afraid to do this, and thought I would try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I am glad I did so, for in a few weeks I was a well woman. I cannot praise your medicine too highly, for it has done for me what the doctors said nothing could do, and I know of several others who have used it with the same good results."

Mrs. Campbell's case is only one of thousands of similar ones which have been published in the form of testimonials, which conclusively prove that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the most successful remedy for all those painful ailments peculiar to women that the world has ever known.

It will cure entirely any form of female weakness, all ovarian troubles, inflammation and ulceration, falling and displacements, and the consequent spinal weakness, and is peculiarly adapted to the change of life.

It will dissolve and expel tumors from the uterus in an early stage of development. The tendency to cancerous humors there is checked very speedily by its use. It removes faintness, flatulency, destroys all craving for stimulants, and relieves weakness of the stomach. It cures bloating, headaches, nervous prostration, general debility, sleeplessness, depression and indigestion.

That feeling of bearing down, causing pain, backache, is always permanently cured by its use. It will at all times and under all circumstances act in harmony with the laws that govern the female system.

For the cure of kidney complaints of either sex the Compound is unsurpassed.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is prepared at Lynn, Mass., and sold by druggists everywhere. Price $1. Six bottles for $5. Mrs. Pinkham's address is freely given to all who write for advice. Her experience is at the service of sick women. Address as above. Mention this paper.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Liver Pills cure Constipation, Biliousness and Torpidity of the Liver. 25c.

"One of my physicians told me I had clergyman's sore throat, another said I had ulceration of the throat, and the medicine that I took gave me relief only for a short time. I thought I must die. I began to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it worked like a charm. After taking the first bottle I could walk across the street, now I am well. I advise all my friends to take it."—Mary E. Cavanagh, Allston, Mass.

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We invite you to call, knowing you will save time and money and be pleased with our work. Very Respectfully

W. G. BURKET, D. D. S.,
Manager.

Room 8 Arcade. Ground Floor.

HUMANE SOCIETY NOTICE.

All parties having knowledge of acts of cruelty to animals or children will greatly favor and assist the Fort Wayne Humane Society by telephoning or writing such information to Officer Schlandroff. 32 Clinton street. Telephone No. 55.

The Evening Sentinel.

BY E. A. H MACKEY.

MONDAY, FEB. 3 1896.

TONIGHT.

WORKING GIRLS UNION—Entertainment at and hop at their hall.

CHURCH CONCERT—At parish house of Trinity Episcopal church.

SONS OF VETERANS—Entertainment at Schroeder's hall on Broadway.

BRICKLAYERS AND MASONS UNIONS—Regular meeting, No. 7 East Main street.

BROTHERHOOD OF FIREMAN—Regular meeting, No 70 Calhoun street.

CALEDONIAN SOCIETY—Regular Meeting, No 76 Calhoun street.

EMPIRE THEATRE—Vaudeville Entertainment.

MUTUAL AID ASSOCIATION, No. 1—St Patrick's hall.

FORTNIGHTLY CLUB—Discussion of the silver question.

ST PAULS EVANGELICAL LUTHERANS YOUNG MEN'S SOCIETY—Monthly meeting, corner of Barr and Madison streets.

LODGES—St. Mary's Lodge, No. 14 (colored) F. and A. M. Fort Wayne Lodge No. 14, I. O. O. F.; Thomas Lodge No. 161, K. of P.; Mad Anthony Hive No 27, L. O. T. M.; Ben Hur Court, No. 15, T. B. H., Modern Woodmen.

Presidential nomination lightning is hovering around the heads of a number of prominent men in both parties and they are all hoping it will strike them.

In the ground hog was astir before 10 o'clock Sunday morning, he saw his shadow and got back into his hole again as soon as possible. We will tie our faith to the ground hog's weather predictions everytime, and hence we believe that winter will stay with us for six weeks longer.

In the last issue of "Our Methodist Paper" Rev. Dr. H. W. Bennett, its editor, has the following: "It was a surprise and a pleasure to note that the Fort Wayne Sentinel would not resist Mr. Ingersoll to spread rhetorical rhapsodies and vaporings in this city. This paper commends itself by its high moral tone and avoidance of a certain class of reading matter."

One of the encouraging signs of an improved moral condition and a spiritual awakening on the part of the people of Fort Wayne is the increased attendance at Sunday services in all of the churches of the city. In conversation with one of the ministers, a Sentinel representative was told that the church congregations on Sunday have been larger this winter than they have ever been before in the history of Fort Wayne.

It is rather curious that McKinley, who promises to show up stronger on the first ballot than any of his competitors at the republican presidential convention, is the man of all others that the democrats would choose to lead the opposition if they were permitted to have a voice in the selection of the candidate. He, more than other man in the republican party, represents the principle of high tariff protection and this is the very issue that the democrats desire to have prominent in the coming campaign.

Denise January 10 two people left the ports of Cuba in the hunt for places of safety. They had no confidence that Spain could help them and they had no desire to help Spain. The fugitives seem to have the idea that there will be a great uprising among the Cubans ere long and that Gomez and Maceo are fully cognizant of the conditions in Havana and at headquarters of the Spanish army.

No to an event of recent occurrence in this city has created so much interest and comment as the reported attempted grave robbery of last week and Prosecuting Attorney Doughman is doing the right thing in getting all the information in regard to the matter that he can. If there has been an offense of this kind attempted, every effort should be made to hunt out the guilty parties so that they can be properly punished.

The Free Coinage Bill.

The long struggle in the senate over the question of free coinage terminated, as told in the telegraph columns of The Sentinel of Saturday, when the free coinage substitute, was adopted and the bill as amended passed by a vote of forty-two to thirty five. Its title was changed so as to make it read "To restore the coinage of silver dollars and for other purposes." All the sections of the house bill are struck out. The bill now goes to the house for concurrence in the substitute. The bill as amended reads as follows:

That from and after the passage of this act the mines of the United States shall be open to the coinage of silver and there shall be coined dollars of the weight of 412½ grains troy of standard silver, nine tenths fine, as provided by the act of January 18, 1837, and upon the same terms and subject to the limitations and provisions of law regulating the coinage and legal tender quality of gold, and whenever the said coins here in provided for shall be received in the treasury certificates may be issued therefore in the manner now provided by law.

Sec. 2. That the secretary of the treasury shall coin into standard silver dollars, as soon as practicable, according to the provisions of section 1 of this act, from the silver bullion purchased under authority of the act of July 14, 1890, omitted "An act directing the purchase of silver bullion and the issue of treasury notes thereon, and for other purposes," that portion of said silver bullion which represents the seigniorage of profit to the government, to wit: the difference between the cost of the silver purchased under said act and its coinage value, and said dollars so coined shall be used in the payment of the current expenses of the government and for the purpose of making the seigniorage immediately available for use as money, the secretary of the treasury is hereby authorized and directed to issue silver certificates against it as if it was already coined in the treasury.

Sec. 3. That no national bank note shall hereafter issued of a denomination less than $10, and all notes of such banks now outstanding of denominations less than that sum shall be as rapidly as practicable taken up, redeemed and cancelled, and notes of $10 and larger denominations shall be issued in their stead, under the direction of the comptroller of the currency."

Sec. 4 The secretary of the treasury shall redeem the United States notes, commonly called "greenbacks," and also the treasury notes issued under the provisions of the act of July 14, 1890, when presented for redemption in standard silver dollars or in gold coin, using for redemption of said notes either gold or silver coin or both, at the option of the holder, but exclusively at the option of the treasury department, and said notes, commonly called "greenbacks," when so redeemed, shall be reissued as provided by the act of May 31, 1878.

Cuban Recognition.

While the people of the United States are almost unanimous in desiring congress to accord belligerent rights to Cuba, there are some obstacles in the way with which the majority of them are not acquainted. These exist in certain articles of an old treaty with Spain, a treaty made 101 years ago.

One of the stipulations, and a troublesome one to get over, is that when either the United States or Spain is at war with another nation, the cruisers of the contracting nation which is at war shall have the right to search the merchant vessels of the other contracting nation for goods contraband of war. What these goods are is specified in the treaty. That is to say, if we should accord belligerent rights to Cuba, we would virtually pronounce her an independent nation at war with Spain. Then Spanish cruisers would have the right to stop our merchantmen anywhere on the high seas and search them for contraband goods. This would not make much difference anywhere outside of the West Indies, for outside of that region we have no foreign commerce, but unfortunately it is just there that we have several lines of merchant ships plying. Under the same treaty if a citizen of the United States should hit out a week to engage in service against Spain, "he shall be punished as a pirate."

It is trade considerations which mainly deter this government from recognizing Cuba. When it becomes a question of common humanity, however, considerations of the dollar are not to be entertained.

Americanism Not Jingoism.

Nobody wants any jingoism in this country. But the resolution of Senator Cockman K. Davis is not jingoism. It is just good, plain Americanism. It simply sets forth in clear words the present understanding of the Monroe doctrine, which is that any attempt on the part of any foreign power whatsoever to get a foot more of territory on this hemisphere, whether by conquest or by insidiously stretching out its boundary lines to include more than the law allows, will be considered an act hostile to the United States. So will the attempt to gain any protectorate over a power on this hemisphere or to get control over any canal or other means of transportation across "the American fathmus." The New York Journal puts it as follows and puts it exactly right:

> We fail to see what effect it can give Great Britain for U. S. Senate to specify that European powers (mostly monarchies), our unfriendly friend, Spain always excepted, shall not try through force, purchase, cession, occupation, pledge, colonization, protectorate, or by control of the movement in canal or any other means of transit across the American isthmus." It seems to us it covers just its own case as a South American territory.

The world is wide, and this is our side of it. We propose to control the Nicaragua canal, which will furnish the shortest waterway between our Atlantic and Pacific coasts. We do not intend to be hemmed in or harassed by foreign fortresses. Why not have the courage to say so? There is not a single one of our trade interests which will be permanently injured by any such declaration. If we are not bold enough to seize our opportunity now, we shall miss it for several and all time to our fate.

Light That Penetrates Solids.

A marvelous discovery has been made by Professor Rontgen of the University of Wurzburg, Bavaria. It is nothing less than a device which will make all vivisection processes hereafter mere needless cruelty. Electricity is the agent by which the interior of opaque substances may be illuminated and not only illuminated, but photographed, through the invention of Professor Rontgen. According to the reports received, he simply passes an induction electrical current through a glass tube whose interior is a vacuum. The pipe during this operation gives off rays of light of such brilliancy that they penetrate solid substances and render these internally visible, so that the interior parts may be plainly photographed.

By means of the professor's apparatus, the bones of a man's hand have been perfectly photographed. So also have metals in the inside of a wooden box. The powerful rays pass through solid substances as ordinary light rays pass through glass or clear water. They are so powerful indeed that in one instance metals inside a wooden box were photographed through a cloth that had been thrown over the mouth of the camera.

The importance of this discovery, especially in medical science, can hardly be overestimated. It will enable all internal diseases to be minutely examined and treated. Bullets may be located and removed. The beating of the heart, the condition of the lungs, the circulation of the blood, will be as clear to the eye as if the human body were transparent. Transparentness is only relative anyhow.

Municipal Electric Lighting.

One of the favorite enterprises of Mayor Pingree and his friends in Detroit has been the erection by the city of a plant for electrically lighting streets and public buildings. In order to procure the necessary buildings, machinery, wire and poles the citizens at an election authorized Detroit to issue $800,000 worth of city bonds. It is one of the strangest facts recorded in any municipal history that not only was the authorized sum not exceeded, but the work was actually done for $300,000 less than the sum voted.

In Detroit the municipal plant lights all the public buildings, even to the schoolhouses. So popular is it that it is expected in the course of a short time the city will be lighting the private houses of its people at a specified rate. A figuring up of the cost of municipal illumination shows a great advantage over the private lighting system. Taking into account the interest of the capital invested, the wear and tear of buildings and machinery and even counting out the sum that would have had to be paid in taxes on the property under private ownership, it was found that there was a difference in favor of the municipal system of $2.15 per light per month, that, too, when the cost of municipal light production was compared with the lowest rate at which private plants had ever furnished illumination.

The boundary treaty by which Russia originally held Alaska read that the width of the strip of Alaskan soil running down along west of British Columbia should be ten marine leagues inland from the coast of the Pacific ocean. That was plain enough. It meant ten marine leagues inland from the coast of the mainland, just as it said. But when British Columbia came to be settled up, and it was found there were millions of acres of valuable grain and wheat raising lands east and of the Alaskan strip, then it was contended by the British settlers that the treaty did not mean what it said, just plain ten marine leagues inland from the edge of the mainland, but that the ten leagues must be measured from the islands along and outside of the coast instead of that coast itself. This is now the claim of the British Columbians, a claim that on the face of it is preposterous. The treaty means no just what it meant to Russia—the ten leagues measure from the beginning of the mainland.

The regular British game in getting possession of new country is noteworthy. English are the greatest of globe trotters. They go to a new country where they think there is money to be made, especially if they smell gold mines somewhere. They colonize the place. Then they manage to get into a row with the original owners of the land, and England interferes to protect her subjects. That was the alleged reason for the James river settlement—it was the reason assigned for the Boer war—ten leagues are quite a bit beyond the Schomburgk line. English colonists had settled in the disputed territory, and Salisbury said that English lives must not be jeopardized by "savages" without taking the trouble to find out whether they had any rights there.

The Collapse Of Values.

Our Annual Inventory recently taken indicates an overstock in many departments.

During February we abandon all consideration of profits and have fully determined to reduce this overstock.

Buy now for present and future necessities. You'll find it the greatest paying investment you ever made.

Look through our Children's department. Boys' High Grade Reefer Coats that sold at $5, $6 and $7, now selling at $3 98.

Former $2.50 and $3.00 Reefer Coats for boys, ages 4 to 15, now $1.85.

Cloth Leggings for boys that sold at $1.00, now 50 cents.

Sizes are somewhat broken in our Overcoat department, but surprises await you here in prices. The greatest OVERCOAT PICNIC you ever enjoyed. During February we will sell

$6.00 Overcoats for $3 85.
$8.00 Overcoats for $5 85.
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$12.00 Overcoats for $8.85.
$15.00 Overcoats for $10. 85.
$18.00 Overcoats for $11.85.
$25.00 Overcoats for $10.85.

Men's Furnishings.

We are particularly overstocked here and during this month shall unload if phenomenally low prices will be an inducement to buy new and seasonable merchandise at 30 per cent. less than actual values.

50-Cent Lined Working Gloves now 25 cents
50 Cent Jersey Knit Gloves now 25 cents.
50 and 75-Cent Underwear now 38 cents.
$1.00, $1.25 and $1.50 Underwear now 75 cents.

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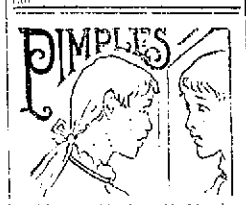

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RESULT OF A STRIKE.

Cars of the Chicago and Southeastern Burned at Lebanon.

The Shops of the Company Saved From Destruction by the Prompt Action of the Fire Department.

Lebanon, Ind., Feb. 3—The entire forces of the Chicago and Southern railroad shops in this city walked out Saturday morning and announced their intentions to stay out until they have received six months' back pay due them. Not only have they quit work, but have already commenced waging war against the company and its interests. Since the strike was inaugurated trains have been run on the side track and allowed to proceed no further.

It was given out by the leaders that the men would conduct a peaceable campaign. In a meeting held mob violence was condemned, and the men were requested to remain away from the company's right of way. James Kennedy, a shop foreman, was elected leader. In a speech he urged the men to remain loyal not only to their cause, but to their country, by committing no depredations.

Scores of men, however, congregated around the shops until midnight, when the last group dispersed, not even a guard having been left to prevent the passage of trains. Those engaged in watching the company's property began to consider alertness no longer a necessity and ceased making their rounds with the vigilance displayed during the evening.

This proved to be but the calm preceding the storm, for a few minutes after 2 o'clock Sunday, flames shot up near the railroad shops. The city's fire department promptly answered the alarm, but with difficulty they barely succeeded in saving the shops proper. The fire consumed all the company's freight cabooses in the yards.

The freight and passenger station at Westfield, twenty miles east, also went up in smoke.

The strikers deny any hand in these conflagrations, and say the torch has been applied by sympathizers of the company purposely to bring them into disrepute. Large crowds have congregated around the scene of the fires, no one having a word to say in condemnation.

The road has caused much trouble to the counties through which it passes. Since its construction the officials have persistently neglected to pay their men promptly. At no time since its operation have they been in arrears less than six months to a year. H. Crawford, sr., of the Chicago and New York, is president, and although he is said to have brought other railroad stock well up the line of good investments, his luck in this connection is yet to come. Thousands of dollars' worth of property has been destroyed from time to time by strikers, and many times the president barely escaped the vengeance of the men.

Telegrams were passed freely between the superior officers and the leaders of the strike yesterday, the company promising the money shall be forthcoming as soon as the president can be heard from. Extra patrolmen guard their property, fearing that the city's interests may suffer from acts of violence by the strikers. Frank G Reagan, local attorney for the company, says that President Crawford will come here tomorrow, when he thinks all differences will be adjusted. It is rumored that the trainmen will join the strikers unless a settlement is reached soon.

The monthly meeting of the Humane society was held this afternoon at the law office of the president of the organization, Senator T. E. Ellison. Among the reports was that for the work of Humane Officer Louis Schlandroff, showing the cases investigated by him as follows: Children abandoned or neglected, 11; beaten or abused, 15; destitute, 26; homeless, 25; having no proper homes, 28; incorrigible, 7; wife beating, 1. Animals over-driven or over working, 3; torturing with broken collar, 1; deprived of necessary food or shelter, 10; general cruelty, 8; abandoning animals to die, 1; cases reported at office, 25; not substantiated, 1; warned, 30; animals taken from work, 1, animals killed, being unfit for use 2. Found permanent home for one child. Two children were taken to Allen county orphans' home. Shot one horse and one dog.

The services at the city department of the Young Men's Christian association yesterday afternoon were led by Rev. D. L. Henson, the pastor of the Baptist tabernacle, who preached a most impressive and interesting discourse on the theme, 'Lost,' using as the foundation of his remarks the three parables of Christ, 'the Lost Sheep' 'the Lost Coin,' and 'the Prodigal Son.' The thought which he drew out was that Christ and the church were most deeply interested in the sinner and were anxious and willing to do all in their power to bring about his salvation. The sinner, however, had a duty to perform. He must manifest a willingness to be saved, for without that his salvation cannot be brought about. He closed with a strong plea to the unconverted, and, as a result of his effective talk, six young men raised their hands for prayers. The singing at the services was done by the choir of the Baptist church and at the close Mr. E. F. Varnelle rendered a beautiful solo, the sentiment of which was appropriate to the discourse preached by Rev. Henson. There was a large attendance and the services were of a most profitable character.

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A BREAK IN THE TIRE.

By Luke Sharp.

HERE is just a little bit of the devil in every bicycle. I suppose this comes through the fierce heat and the welding of things that take place before a machine is thoroughly constructed. Anyhow, there the touch of Satin is, and I know no way of eliminating it.

When we read the parable of the devil entering into the swine and the swine at once rushing to their destruction in the sea, we recognize a certain likeness to the actions of a bicycle when it gets a man at its mercy. A bike will behave beautifully on level ground, but get it on the top of a long and unknown hill and then trouble begins. I don't know whether it is because of a fellow feeling with hogs or not, but the moment I am on a bicycle going down a hill I think of the swine that rushed down to the sea.

It would be just as easy for a tire to become punctured when you are near home as when you are far away, but I never knew that to happen. The first time a man gets his pneumatic tire punctured is a very serious occasion with him. I suppose that most persons, when taking on a bicycle, have been shown by some kind friend just how easy it is to slip the pneumatic tire over the wheel rim and mend a puncture in the inner tube. In my back yard a friend took off the tire, extracted the thin inner tube (the whole operation looked like a clinical demonstration in anatomy), fixed a mythical punoture, slipped on the outer covering again, pumped it up, and there it was. My friend claimed that he could mend a puncture and have everything in going order again in three minutes by the watch, and I have no doubt he spoke the truth, but I am free to confess that I can't do it, and on the first occasion I had to meet with a real puncture I am sure I could not have fixed the machine inside of six weeks.

When I first took to riding the bicycle I was in constant fear of puncturing. I dodged every piece of stone on the road, and would not run over a piece of glass if I could help it. I seemed to be constantly watching the path ahead of me for anything that would puncture the tire, but by and by, as nothing happened, I grew more easy in my mind, and at last completely forgot that such a thing as punctures added to the many troubles of bicyclers.

In touring around I have a fancy for leaving the main traveled roads and journeying along unfrequented lanes more out of the way of traffic, relying on good luck and a reasonably accurate map to bring me to civilization again. It was on one of these occasions, when I was at least 20 miles from home, as the crow flies, and right in the depths of the country that I came just around a corner upon a bit of new road bristling with flint stones into which I drove full speed before I noticed what was ahead of me. The tire collapsed, and the wheel came down with that sickening thud, thud, on the road which, once experienced, is never forgotten. I suppose that five or six times a year somebody comes along that lane, and among those five or six persons there is perhaps one who never saw or heard of a bicycle. I drew my disabled machine to the grassy side of the lane under the hedge, and sat down with my head in my hands trying to think what that man had done first when he took off the tire. It was months before, and though I had seemed to understand the operation at the time, my ideas now were in the most hazy condition possible. As far as I could recollect he unscrewed something first and then things seemed to

"I TRIED TO SLIP THE OUTER COVER OFF."

come apart; so I attacked the valve into which you pump the air, and finally got it into a position where I knew I could never get it back again. I tried to slip the outer cover off, but found, to my amazement, that a couple of wires were concealed somewhere in the edge of the outer tire that I had entirely forgotten. After an hour's hard work I had gotten the machine in such a state that I very much doubted if it could ever be put together again. I now consulted my map to find, if possible, in what part of creation I really was. I hadn't much confidence in the map, anyhow; it had led me astray more than once, and had landed me in the most unexpected places, but now, if it told the truth, there was a main road a mile or two further ahead, and along that main road undoubtedly a bicycler would ultimately come, and the chances were that he would understand something about pneumatic tires. If I had had complete faith in the map I should have trundled my bicycle to the main road, but as it was, I thought I had better mount the hill further on and see if I could discover signs of the principal thoroughfare. When I got on top of the hill I found there was another gentle decline and a still higher hill, and thus I was lured on and on, leaving my bicycle alone by the roadside until I found, as I had suspected, that there was no main road anywhere in the neighborhood. Turning back in despair, not knowing what next to do, I was overjoyed to see coming towards me, over the crest of the low hill, a man on a bicycle. When he saw me he apparently hesitated, and made as if he would turn back, but finally concluded to come on. As he approached I saw with amazement the reason of his hesitation. He was on my machine. I planted myself square in the middle of the lane, and although he attempted to dodge me, I grasped the handle bars.

"Now, you scoundrel," I said "get off."

He was a much smaller man than I am, and I knew that if matters came to extremities I would have little difficulty in taking care of him. He got off without a word, but his face was pale and his lips trembled.

"Now," I said to him, "if I did right, I would break your ugly head. You may be thankful at getting off so easily; however, I am obliged to you for mending the tire, and because of that I will say no more about the matter."

The young fellow edged away from me and looked as if he would like to take to his heels.

"You needn't be afraid," I said; "I won't hurt you."

Opening the little tool satchel at the back of the seat, I saw that he had not taken away the oil can and some of the other implements.

"Where are the rest of the tools?" I asked.

"They are all there that ever was there," he answered with hesitation.

It wasn't worth while discussing the matter with him, so I mounted the machine and ascended the hill he had come down and ran along where the disaster had happened. Here, to my amazement, I found my own machine still lying where I had placed it under the hedge. Without dismounting I whirled around and made after the young fellow whom I had robbed. I suppose I did look like a disreputable character with my face and clothes smeared with oil through my hours of effort at trying to take my machine to pieces. The moment the young fellow saw me coming behind him he began to run as fast as he could, and finally seeing that I was bound to overtake him he tried to get through the hedge, where he stuck.

"I have no money," he shouted, "at least only a shilling or two in my pocket."

"Look here," I said, "I am not such a villain as I look. I am no bicycle thief. I thought you were on my machine. Didn't you see it as you came along lying up against the hedge?"

"No," he answered with relief, coming down to the side of the road again.

"Well," I said, "I must apologize very abjectly for my conduct. Your machine is exactly like mine and I thought it was mine. I never expected any sane bicyclist would come along this lane."

"Didn't you come along the lane?" asked the young fellow.

"Yes, but I said sane bicyclist."

"Oh."

"I have punctured my tire, and I don't know how to repair it. I have been working at it for hours, and if you know anything about tires, for heaven's sake forgive me for the robbery, and come back and show me how to make my tire air tight once more."

The young fellow was very nice about it, indeed, and he returned with me to where the disabled machine lay. With that experience which receives my most profound admiration, but which seems impossible for me to emulate, he whipped off the tire, mended the tube, and put everything in shape again. The whole episode was a lesson in Christian charity which I hope will not be lost on me.

I don't know when the second puncture of that tire will take place, but I hope when it does, I will have so good and mild a friend within call as the young fellow whom I robbed of his bicycle.

Southern Repartee.

Quite funny are some of the experiences narrated by persons returning from the Atlanta exposition. A local newspaper man, who got back from the south on Monday, tells this one on himself. Upon arriving at Atlanta he chartered a hack, and with that fine scorn of pecuniary considerations characteristic of his profession, ordered the driver I convey him to the "best hotel in town." Entering the really gorgeous carriage, he dropped his grip before the desk, held a pen poised above the register and inquired: "What kind of a room can you give me and how much?" The clerk, a typical southerner, with sallow complexion, drooping mustache and long goatee, replied in an indifferent sort of tone: "Well, suh, Ah ken give yo' a fo'th flo' room foh fo' dollahs a day, suh." "Fo'th flo' foh fo dollars," repeated the visitor facetiously mimicking the soft, southern accent, "then I presume you can give me a first floor room for one dollar, eh?" "N-o-o, suh," drawled the haughty Georgian; "Ah hoin't give yo' a fust flo' room foh one dollah, suh; but Ah ken give yo' a room without any flo' at all foh nothin', suh. Jest go down thar to the bahn and inqui' foh the mewel pahtments." The Philadelphian made no further attempt to have fun with the natives during his stay in Atlanta.—Philadelphia Record.

Ungrateful.

"Papa," (She knelt beside the dejected figure and fondly kissed the drooping head.) "Papa, can I not keep the wolf from the door with my singing?" He was without hope, although he smiled. "My child," he sighed, "your singing would keep almost anything from the door, but the wolf is pretty nervy, you know."—Detroit News-Tribune.

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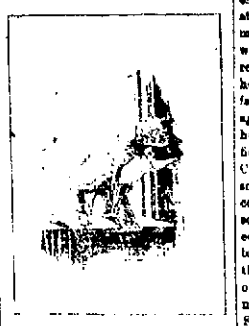

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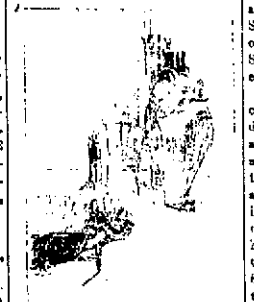

2—I'll crawl under de bed an watch me chance.

3—Fat Boy (from Barnum's, 600 lbs)—Well, I guess I'll turn in for the night.

4—And just then the bed slats gave away and the burglar was caught.

CUT IN TWAIN.

Ernest Sauerwein Meets a Most Shocking Death.

Run Down and Horribly Mangled by a Lake Shore Locomotive—Local Gossip.

Shortly after 6 o'clock Saturday evening one of the most shocking accidents of recent years occurred on the Lake Shore road, about 100 yards west of St Mary's avenue.

At the hour mentioned Ernest Sauerwein was walking on the tracks, en route to his home on Franklin avenue, when engine No. 252, pushing two cars and bound for the Nickel Plate "Y," came gliding along swiftly from the east and ran him down, killing him instantly.

Conductor R. H. Cary and Switchman H. D. Beam were standing on the car next to the engine and heard the unfortunate man's startled cry when the car struck him. Mr. Cary gave the signal and Engineer Morris L. Hickey applied the brakes and brought the engine to a standstill within 100 feet of the place where the accident happened. The train crew climbed down from the cars, ran back a short distance and were horrified by the sight which met their gaze. There lay the mangled remains of a man, and from the dim rays of the conductor's lantern they recognized the face of Ernest Sauerwein.

The body was cut in two at the waist, the head, shoulders and arms lying upon the ends of the ties and the lower portion of the body and the legs lying between the rails. Near by were several packages, containing linenwear, a couple loaves of bread and tools, which the poor fellow had in his arms when struck. One of the sharp instruments was driven into the fleshy part of the leg. The left hand was also mangled, the wheels passing diagonally over it and crushing the outer portion and the third and fourth fingers.

A telephone message to police headquarters brought Sergeants Jowell and Daseler, with the patrol wagon, to the scene and the remains were at once taken to Peltier's morgue, where Coroner Harrod viewed them. At the request of the relatives and friends of the deceased, the body was then conveyed to Wellman's undertaking establishment, where it was prepared for burial.

The funeral will be held from the residence of Frank Sauerwein, 56 Barthold street, at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, Rev. John H. Bosch, of St. John's Reformed church, officiating.

Ernest Sauerwein was a machinist and for several years worked in the Lake Erie and Western shops, in Bloomingdale. He was thirty six years old, married and was the father of two children, both girls. Some months ago Mrs. Sauerwein became infatuated with an insurance agent named Vaughan and eloped with him. They were located at Minneapolis, where Sheriff Clausmeier found them and brought the woman back to this city. She appeared repentant and Mr. Sauerwein forgave her and for awhile their domestic affairs ran smoothly. But the woman again disappeared and this time her husband made no particular effort to find her. It was thought she went to Cincinnati, but if she did go there she soon returned and is now said to be conducting a boarding house in the southern part of this city. The deserted husband took his two little girls out to the Reformed Orphans' home, where they still remain, while he retained his old home, sleeping there and taking his meals at the residence of his brother, Frank Sauerwein, on Barthold street.

Besides Frank, two other brothers survive the deceased. They are Charles and Herman Sauerwein, who reside in St Louis. A telegram informing them of the death of Ernest was forwarded Sunday morning and the brothers are expected here this afternoon.

The deceased enjoyed the esteem and confidence of his fellowmen to a high degree. He was a good man, they say, and as evidence of his Christian spirit and forgiving nature they point to the treatment his truant wife has received at his hands, after so grievously wronging him. The associates of Mr. Sauerwein also state that he was not in the habit of walking on the railway track to and from his work, as stated in a Sunday morning paper. His rule was to keep off the tracks, but to avoid a two block's tramp through the mud Saturday evening, he broke the rule and took to the dry railroad bed. His hearing was defective and he did not notice the warning engine bell nor the noise of the wheels on the rails until the train was upon him.

Mr. Sauerwein was a member of the National Union and held a life policy for $2,000 in that order. Two or three weeks ago he had the paper changed, making his two children the beneficiaries, instead of his wife.

It was not the regular switch engine which killed Mr. Sauerwein, that locomotive having been run into the round house for the night, as is customary at 6 o'clock Saturday evening. The engine which did the killing was the one which brought a local train in that evening. The train, which was late, had two loaded stock cars to be delivered to the Nickel Plate, and as the switch engine was not available, the local freight crew was ordered to take the cars down to the "Y."

A VETERAN GONE

John Welch, the veteran employe in the Pittsburg shops, died at 6 o'clock this morning from general debility, aged seventy-three years. The deceased leaves a wife and five children, as follows: John and James, of this city; Thomas Welch, Mrs. Minnie Crane and Mrs. Katherine Pennell, of Logansport. The funeral will be held from St. Patrick's church at an hour to be appointed later. Mr. Welch was born in County Sligo, Ireland, and came to America about forty five years ago. Forty years ago he came to this city and immediately took a position as wiper in the Pittsburg round house and worked continuously at it up to November 20 last, when ill health compelled him to cease his labors. He was a member of the Pennsylvania Voluntary Relief association.

BRIEF MENTION.

G. L. Lown, a car inspector, is sick and off duty.

J. V. Fulmer, a carpenter employed in the Pittsburg shops, is sick.

Louis Hibbler and H. Grohaus, of the Pittsburg blacksmith shop, are sick and off duty.

Pittsburg Machinist C. Cooper, who was sick, was able to return to work this morning.

The local branch of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers nominated officers yesterday.

Machinist William Lerch got the better of the grip in a two days' tussle and is on duty today again.

Bad weather kept several of the employes of the Pittsburg lumber yards from reporting for duty this morning.

The Chicago and Erie has put the new men, recently promoted to engineers, back to firing on account of a surplus of men.

Fred Kiser has resigned as baggage master of the Wabash depot in Huntington. Henry Keeler was appointed to fill the vacancy.

G. Volz, P. Junk and A. Burchard are sick. G. Hill is off duty on account of private business. All work in the Pittsburg planing mills.

Railroad officials dismiss employes more readily for non payment of debts, which cause garnishments to be filed against them, than for most causes.

The Big Four railroad tax case, which has been on trial at St. Joseph Mich., for the last week, was decided Saturday against the railway company.

F. A. Knocke, an employe of the Bowser Oil Tank works, had a finger badly cut upon a washboard Saturday evening. Dr. Van Buskirk dressed the wound.

William Grace, of Logansport, is acting as express messenger and baggage man on the Wabash "plug" running between Lafayette and Fort Wayne a few days.

John Meyers is sick and George Heidmiller has recovered from a sickness. Both are employed in the Pittsburg freight house.

Machinist Mart Holbrock has been transferred from the back shop to the Pittsburg round house, to work at nights for a short time.

Albert Little has returned from a visit with friends in Defiance, Ohio, and this morning resumed his duties in the Pittsburg freight house.

Bert Sunderland, a Pittsburg brakeman, took his run out yesterday for the first time in three months. He had been troubled with sore eyes that length of time.

The iron machine department of the Pittsburgh car shops, which for two weeks was running on a fourteen hour per day schedule, this morning commenced on a twelve hour day.

Contractor Woebeking was the successful bidder for the contract to erect a house for John M. Cook, on West Butler street. Work will be commenced as soon as the weather will permit.

The freight "rush" is over and the Fort Wayne road is returning the borrowed engines. Nos. 588 and 693, from the Cleveland and Pittsburg road, and No. 182 from the eastern division of the Pittsburgh, were returned to those lines to day.

P. E. Albers, who was detained at home several days by the illness of his wife and her sister, resumed his duties in the Pittsburg tank shop today. He reports the patients much better, now which will be welcomed by a large circle of friends.

The case of the Horseshoe Nail company against the Panhandle has been removed from Marion to Wabash. The suit is for $10,000 damages, the claim being that the nail company's buildings were burned by sparks from a Panhandle locomotive.

Supt. E. A. Gould is better today and it now looks as though he would recover. The abscesses on his neck were lanced Saturday by Dr. Moorehouse, the company's chief surgeon, and from that moment the improvement in the patient's condition has been steady.

Henry Hilgeman was the lowest bidder for the Keifer building, which it is proposed to erect adjoining the Tri-State building on Clinton street this spring. The proposed structure will be three stories, with a stone front to correspond to the buildings adjacent thereto.

Howes Piper, Jacob Weber, Frank Minnich, John Saunders, E. H. W. Dornte, J. Anderson, Joseph Carry Lloyd Judy, John Fraine, Owen Barry, Terrence Martin and William Hayes Pittsburg shopmen, resumed work this morning after an absence for various reasons.

The snow fall at Chicago and for a short distance east of that city was considerable and at 6 o'clock this morning covered the ground to the depth of several inches. At that hour the Pittsburg got its snow plows out and commenced cleaning up the "beautiful" in the yards.

According to the New York Sun, limited tickets which have been altered by having the holes filled up with paraffin are very common nowadays. It is said that certain railroads have instructed conductors to test limited tickets by the use of the thumb nail so as to detect plugged holes.

The new order to Panhandle trainmen, which makes it the duty of the passenger brakemen to collect the tickets, is looked upon with suspicion by the conductors. The reason assigned for the new order of things is to educate the brakeman so he could assume charge of the train in case of the sudden sickness of the conductor.

If the plans of the Illinois Central are successful the bulk of the grain traffic will soon be diverted from its present channels and reach the European markets through New Orleans, instead of New York. The ten east bound trunk lines out of Chicago will endeavor to prevent such a diversion of traffic, but President Fish, of the Illinois Central, says they cannot do it.

George W. Ferney, a locomotive engineer of the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore, who died at Wilmington, January 20, is said by local papers to have been in the service of the company more than forty years. He ran the engine which drew the train carrying Abraham Lincoln to Washington in March, 1861, and also the very last train carrying Mrs. Garfield to Washington in July, 1881, when President Garfield was shot.

A Kansas judge says that "if a railway company suspend operations the land operated by its right of way reverts to the original owners." The Leavenworth, Topeka and Southwestern discontinued running trains in 1894, whereupon the owner of a large farm fenced in the strip which he had sold, amounting to ten acres, and when the company resumed operations and tore down its barriers he brought suit and was declared the owner by reversion.

J. H. Barnett, who last Saturday retired from the general superintendency of the Cleveland, Akron and Columbus road, has been many years of railroad service, beginning on the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago. He was Division superintendent of the Pittsburg, Cincinnati and St. Louis for ten years and has been superintendent of various other roads in the west. For six years, beginning in 1865, he was on the Erie, being superintendent of transportation or general superintendent the greater part of the time.

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The following story must be true, because it happened two weeks ago at Austin and last week in Lake View.

Mr. Burton was aroused shortly after midnight by his wife, who said that little Freddie was coughing just as though he had the croup and for him (Mr. Burton) to go and bring the doctor.

Thereupon Mr. Burton aroused himself, and assisted by his wife got into his clothes. As his wife was helping him on with his overcoat she asked, "Thomas, have you your revolver?"

"No. Had I better take it?"

"I should think so. It's late, and the streets are fearfully dark."

She handed him the weapon, which he cautiously slipped into the side pocket of his overcoat, where he could keep his hand on it.

It was indeed a very dark night. He could barely discern the shapes of trees, fences and houses.

As he turned a corner he ran heavily against another man. They collided fully, and then Mr. Burton jumped backward, with his heart in his throat.

"Excuse me," said the man in the darkness, and he passed on.

Burton took a firmer hold on his weapon. Then he happened to think of something. He felt for his watch. It was gone. The fellow had bumped into him so as to slip the watch from his pocket.

Burton drew his revolver and ran after the robber, who began to run.

"Stop, or I'll shoot!" shouted Burton.

The man stopped and leaned against a fence.

"Now," said Burton, with the revolver advanced, "you give me that watch."

The robber handed it over.

"Now you skip!" And the fellow ran.

When Burton reached home he was pale and excited, but quite exultant.

"A footpad ran into me and grabbed my watch," said he, "but I drew my gun and made him give it back."

"Why, Thomas," exclaimed his dismayed wife, "I took the watch out of your vest pocket before you started."

The doctor came in a half hour later.

He was agitated, and he explained that he had been called away on an urgent case at the time when Mr. Burton called at his house.

"And right at this next corner," he added, "I was held up by the most villainous looking highwayman you ever saw and robbed of my watch."—Chicago Record.

A Striking Story.

Carefully the two masked men climbed through the cellar window and up the stairs leading to the kitchen.

It was 60 minutes past midnight, and the big clock in the upper hall ticked on.

Skillfully avoiding two empty coal buckets that stood upon the landing, the midnight marauders crept steadily upward through a dimly lighted hall and up a second pair of stairs.

"Hist!" whispered the first burglar as a slight noise came to him.

"Hist, yourself," said the second, who had a boil on the back of his neck and didn't care to be ordered about.

"Be quiet," muttered the first. "I hear some one approaching." Then he crouched low to the wall and put his breath in his pocket.

The man with the boil only growled and refused to do as his partner asked. There was bad blood between them evidently. Perhaps it was in the veins of the man with a boil.

Suddenly there came a whirring, grating sound, and the two men, forgetting their differences, caught each other by the arm. The noise, right above their heads, increased, and the two law breakers turned pale with fear.

Then the clock struck 1.

And the other turned and fled into the darkness.

If it had only been an hour later, the faithful clock might have bagged both of the burglars, but it did its best.—Cincinnati Tribune.

Robbers Robbed.

An amusing incident occurred the other evening on the levee which should tend to improve the respectability of that portion of the city. A stout, plainly dressed man, apparently about 40 years of age, was walking briskly along under the trestle of the Daisy bridge when he was suddenly confronted by two negroes, one of whom, holding a pistol in his hand, commanded the pedestrian to "shell out." The suddenness of the attack was calculated to startle most men into compliance, but this stranger proved to be an exception to the rule. Without a word he struck the second negro a blow in the face which sent him to the ground in a heap, and seizing the barrel of the pistol in the hands of his other assailant after a short but fierce struggle he wrenched it from the negro's grasp. Springing back he covered both negroes with weapon and commanded them to stand up. The one on the ground got up in a dazed sort of way, while his companion explained, "We was only jokin with you, boss."

The stranger looked around in the hope of seeing a policeman, but as none was in sight he determined with a grim sense of humor to administer justice himself.

"Well," he said roughly, "I'll do a little joking. I am in need of pocket money myself, so you two rascals can do the shelling out."

So the two would be robbers under cover of the cocked revolver sullenly surrendered $1.20, which, together with the pistol, their victim placed in his pocket.

"Now, you two move on," he commanded, and the crestfallen negroes quickly disappeared.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

AMERICAN FABLES.

The Sage and the Young Man.

One day the sage was visited by a young man who had a look of sorrow in his eyes, and who pathetically cried out:

"Oh, sage, I want some of thy wisdom. I am young and innocent, and things get away with me."

"Yes, you are scarcely more than a downy kid," replied the sage after looking him over. "What particular thing do you want to be posted on?"

"Oh, sage, I have on several occasions picked up the frisky bonnet, and in each instance I have burned my fingers."

"Got hold of the business end of the insect, eh?"

"I have, and with rat results."

"And now you want to know how to prevent such mistakes in the future?"

"That is my intention, oh, sage."

"My dear boy," said the sage after due reflection and a pull at the jug beside him, "there is one general principle that should guide humanity on its way from the cradle to the grave. Whenever you are in doubt which end is the business end of a hornet wait for some other fellow to do the picking up."

Moral.—But who of us wait?

The Lion's Decision.

One day the wolf and the jackal appeared before the lion, bearing between them the freshly killed carcass of a doe, and the wolf had no sooner got his breath than he exclaimed:

"Oh, king of beasts, I want to be protected from this thieving jackal. I had killed the doe when he came up and claimed half of the meat."

"Oh, king, the wolf is a liar from Llarville!" replied the jackal with great indignation. "After a run of two or three miles I had brought down the doe, when up comes the skulker of a wolf and seeks to bulldoze me into dividing with him."

"Oh, the lying villain!"

"Oh, the deceiving critter!"

"Gentlemen," said the lion as he looked from one to the other, "somebody is lying in this matter!"

"It's that scrub of a jackal!" shouted the wolf.

"It's that villain of a wolf!" shouted the jackal.

"Now, then, as a matter of fact, didn't you both have a hand in the killing?" queried the king of beasts.

"No! I did it all!"

"No fear! I did it alone!"

"But there is plenty for two here," resumed the lion, "and why not make an even divide and go your way in peace?"

"Never," shouted the wolf.

"I'll be hanged if I give him even a bite," howled the jackal.

"Very well, gentlemen—very well," said the lion as he rose up in his dignity, "since you cannot agree as to which of you killed this fat and juicy doe, and since you will not agree to divide it between you and make a good thing for both, I will devour the meat myself and you can go hungry. I would further add that if there is not enough of the doe to satisfy my hunger I will turn and eat both disputants."

Moral.—You know what it is if you have been to law.—Detroit Free Press.

The Man in the Case.

"As a wife, the college girl is hard to beat."

The man with the hollow voice glanced over his shoulder and laughed nervously.

"True," he rejoined, with a palpable effort to be gay. "A friend of mine tried to beat one who was his wife, and she threw him into the coal bin. Yes."

There were not lacking those to boldly suggest that the man's friend was none other than himself.—Detroit Tribune.

Not the Same Kind.

Mrs. Dolan—Phwat do yez t'ink av women's rights, Mrs. Casey?

Mrs. Casey—It's me opinion, Mrs. Dolan, that every woman should be able to make her mark at baste.—Brooklyn Life.

Where He Drew the Line.

The proprietor of the hotel, who was himself a fairly decent sort of fellow, came hurrying into the private office, whither the excited head waiter and the two newly registered guests who had assaulted him were waiting in the custody of the special officer of the establishment.

"Gentlemen," declared the proprietor, "such conduct is disgraceful. It so happens that there was nobody else in the dining room to see it, and so some measure of scandal is spared the house. But why did you strike the man?"

"Of course we apologize," said one of the pair, "and deeply regret the painful occurrence, but we were driven to it. When we first entered, one of your waiters seized my coat in such an awkward and precipitate manner as to break off two buttons, but I did not mind that especially. That was enthusiastic welcome. Then the man who took my friend's hat dropped it on the floor and accidentally stepped into it, but I am sure it was a mishap and unintended, so neither of us felt bitterly toward him. Then a third peace killer trod upon my freshly polished shoe and painfully compressed my toe, but no one would believe he had designed to do it. The person with my friend's hat in carrying it and his topcoat to the rack allowed the latter garment to trail across the floor, sleeves hindmost, but you could readily see he was still excited about the hat and was therefore excusable. But when at this moment the imperious head waiter appeared and called, 'Come this way, gents,' I just waited until he had unmistakably pronounced the word 'gents,' and when we were positive he had used the term we both fell upon him, as become men of self respect."

"He said 'gentsi'" queried the proprietor, enraged.

"He did."

"Gentlemen, the apology is mine. I said my house had not been scandalized, but it has. Go, fellow," to the head waiter, "and know that you deserved tenfold what you got."—Chicago Record.

Ineffective Attempts.

Dr. Slade—Now, Mrs. Cusack, that your little son is convalescing from the fever, you should provide him with some cheerful amusement or mild recreation to wake up his enervated spirits.

Mrs. Cusack—I do try, doctor, but it don't seem to do any good. I've had him set out on the porch an watch the other boys stonin Chinymen at playin other games, but little Hanlep don't 'pear to take no interest in any of 'em.—Chicago Record.

The Season.

"Ah, oh! man."

"Well, my boy."

"Come in and break a resolution with me."

"Don't care if I do."

There was a shudder in the air, as if there were others.—Detroit Tribune.

A Man of Promise.

Neighbor—Young Smithers is doing fine in New York city, I hear. He was a mighty promising young man—

Miss Elders (tartly)—Yes, and if he don't be look here pretty soon makin some of them good he'll have a lawsuit on his hands!—New York World.

Skinner—Is Mr. Laylow one of your permanent boarders?

The Landlady—He is. I told him he couldn't leave until he had paid up.—Life.

Notice to Democrats.

In compliance with a resolution adopted at the democratic mass meeting held in the circuit court room January 15th, 1896, and unanimously endorsed at a regular meeting of the city central committee, an election has been ordered to take place in the various wards of the city on the 8th day of February, from the hours of 4 to 7 p. m. for the purpose of voting on the question of delegate or primary system, and the election of two committeemen from each ward.

Only democrats are qualified to vote at this election.

Voting places to be announced later.

ATLAS HAMILTON, Chairman

JNO. N. ROMANS, Secretary.

Mothers, Be sure and use "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for your children while cutting teeth. It is the best remedy of all. MayS0d&w

The Misses Harrison, of 22 Charles street, will give a phantom party this evening.

Beecham's pills are for biliousness, bilious headache, dyspepsia, heartburn, torpid liver, dizziness, sick headache, bad taste in the mouth, coated tongue, loss of appetite, sallow skin, etc., when caused by constipation; and constipation is the most frequent cause of all of them.

Go by the book. Pills 10¢ and 25¢ a box. Book *free* at your druggist's or write B. F. Allen Co., 365 Canal Street, New York.

Annual sales more than 6,000,000 boxes.

$50 to $50,000 to loan on farm and city property or personal security.

J. F. SCHELL & CO., 24-25-26-27 Pixley Block, Fort Wayne, Ind. Telephone 485.

WANTED.

YOU WANT NICE RESPECTABLE roomers in your home, don't you? That is the class you will reach with an advertisement in THE SENTINEL. Fill your house with readers of THE SENTINEL and you will pay your rent and such nice people before. The advertisement will pay and so will they. Try them.

WANTED—A lady to do washing. No 70 Clinton St. 1-21

WANTED—A good second girl, at 90 East Wayne street. 31-tf

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Inquire 158 West Berry street. feb 2 3t

WANTED—Machine repair work to do at the shop at No. 59 East Columbia street. 26tf

WANTED—Old furniture and stock, reference required. Mrs. Frank R. D. Keppinger, 256 Fairfield avenue. feb 2 3t

WANTED—Any one can borrow money on house furniture. Second mortgages. 4-tf, front room, first column.

WANTED—Washing to do at home. Will call for and deliver same. Call or address, Mrs. J. T., 140 Wallace street. 12tf

WANTED—Partner with $10,000 capital to invest in the finest express and storage business in Chicago. C. D., care Lord & Thomas, Chicago. 29-tf

WANTED—Good business chance. Man with $1,000 and capable of taking charge can hear of good opening. Enquire for Hatcher, No. 55 E. Columbia St. 1-21

WANTED—Everybody to call on Madame Wing the only reliable clairvoyant and fortune teller in the world. Office and residence, No. 28 Chicago street, Fort Wayne, Ind. Price, 50c. 23tf

WANTED—Young man, competent and reliable, desires clerical position. Several years' experience in mercantile and general office work. A 1 credentials. Address, Clerk, 20 West Jefferson street.

WANTED—Young man to learn barber trade; constant practice; furnish board only; eight weeks required to complete. Situation to fill by or sooner; tools furnish. Chicago Barber School, 57 Wabash Ave., Chicago. Illustrated catalogue mailed free. 30-3t

WANTED—A good live, progressive man to represent a good, live, progressive life insurance company, with a record that can be built. A man with a record of honesty and ability can make a very liberal contract, either for soliciting or remaining at headquarters. Manager, Sentinel Office. feb 1 2t

FOR RENT.

HAVE YOU ANY VACANT HOUSES OR flats? You can find tenants quickly with one ad in the columns of THE SENTINEL.

FOR RENT—One suit of unfurnished front rooms, at 166 E. Berry. 17-tf

FOR RENT—Money to loan on house goods, etc. See advertisement first column first page. 19-tf

FOR RENT—ROOM—A nicely furnished front room with all modern conveniences, for gentlemen or husband and wife, at 61 West Berry. 29-3t

FOR RENT OR SALE—After February 1st. Premises No. 311 Webster St.; corner lot, two story brick, slate roof, seven room house; has water, closets and waterworks. Inquire No. 153 Broadway. 29-tf

FOR SALE.

SHOW CASES { At Manufacturers' Prices, by G. E. Burkley & Co.

ICE BOXES { Grocers and REFRIGERATORS { Household Manufacturers' Prices. Sold to the trade only. G. E. Burkley & Co.

FOR SALE—Money to loan on pianos, etc. See advertisement first page first column. 19-tf

FOR SALE—A Crane elevator as good as new. Suitable for a five story building. Enquire this office.

FOR SALE—At 223 West Jefferson street, the entire household furniture, seven room house, upright piano, bedding, bedsteads, stoves, carpets, etc. 1-21 3t

FOR SALE—A light manufacturing business, 20 per cent on investment. A good opportunity for party with small capital. Address W., P. O. box 61 Montreal.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One six-room house and lot at No. 7 Zollar avenue, will take monthly payments of $10 per month; cannot be in Pettibone addition. Call on A. Schmitt, 1 Wells street, Room 6, second floor, over new Farmers' and Merchants' bank building, or write for price and terms.

A stock of groceries or other real estate property. D. L. SHAW, grocers and meat market, No. 78 Smith street. 27 tf

FARMS FOR SALE.

Shares 1 mile from city, $2,000.
10 acres, 3 miles from city, $2,500.
80 acres, 5 miles from city, $6,000.
Improved in Jackson township, $1,000.
40 acres, 5 miles from city, $1,600.
House, 5 miles from city, $1,000.
Shares, 2 miles from city, $1,000.
80 acres, 7 miles from city, $3,000.
80 acres, 7 miles from city, $3,000.
80 acres, 7 miles from city, $3,000.
40 acres, 7 miles from city, $1,600.
40 acres, 7 miles from city, with 16 room House, $3,000.
40 acres, 7 miles from city, $1,600.
Improved in Jefferson township, $1,000.
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ROOT & COMPANY

AFTER THE SALE

WEDNESDAY, we expect to close the store for one day to take account of stock.

THIS GREAT COST SALE

Just closed has left many broken lines, many remnants, and we are going to have a

Two Days' Clearing Sale

In which EVERY REMNANT, EVERY ODD PIECE or PAIR of all goods remaining will be

SOLD AT A SACRIFICE.

This will include the Carpet Department,
The Curtain Department,
All Silk and Dress Goods,
All Cloths and Cassimeres,
Hosiery, Underwear,
Gents' Furnishing Goods,
Trimmings, White Goods, Etc.,

Every Remnant,
Every Thing in Single Pairs,

Be it BLANKETS, CURTAINS, PORTIERRES, RUGS, No matter how desirable,

WE SELL AT A SACRIFICE.

The past few days the receivers have been opening and getting ready car-loads of

NEW SPRING GOODS,

Which will be on display in a very few days after invoice. Due notice of opening will be given.

ROOT & COMPANY.

EVERYBODY GOES TO
THE PANTITORIUM,
To have their Clothing CLEANED, PRESSED, DYED and REPAIRED. Call up telephone 45 and they will call for your work.
16 ARCADE,
Miss JENNIE HAVERLY, Prop.

Sol. D. Bayless lodge will confer the third degree this evening.

The Happen-So club happened in at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Pickard on Friday evening.

MONEY TO LOAN
On real estate or personal security. C. F. PFEIFFER, rooms 6 and 7 Bass Block. 2tf

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A telephone from the house to the barn does not cost much, but is worth a good deal. EDMUNDS & LAW,
Room 4, Schmitz Block.
Telephone 262. 25t10

A pleasant dancing party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Connelly on Friday evening. A fine supper was served at midnight.

It's A Capital Place For Clothing. A Handy Place For Hats.

You've heard a deal lately about prices—cut prices, reduced prices, slashed prices, half prices, misfit prices, and so on—but did you ever hear of reversed prices? We're going to offer some heavy DERBY RIBBED MERINO UNDERWEAR at reversed prices this week. We're going to sell not place on sale, for they'll go a humming just 32 dozen.

96c.

Shirts and Drawers that are first-class in every respect and all sizes from 34 to 48 breast measure. We're going to reverse this underwear—or the prices rather—and sell them for

69c.

Our 1-4 Off Sale

On all Overcoats, Ulsters and heavy Double Breasted Suits closes at the end of this week. Don't put it off any longer; you'll pay regular prices after that.

Sam, Pete & Max.

The Evening Sentinel.

MONDAY, FEB. 3 1896

OUR TELEPHONES.

Business Office.....No. 1743.
Editorial Rooms.....No. 650.

The Weather.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—For Indiana: Clearing tonight; Tuesday fair and cloudy, winds shifting to northerly.

NEWS NOTES.

Mrs Edward Davis gave a thimble party Friday afternoon.

Friday evening Miss Agnes Fry, of East Washington street, gave a birthday party.

Mrs. Frank L. Hough and son are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Heinlen, of No. 123 West Butler street.

Ben Hur court, No. 15, Tribe of Ben Hur, will meet in regular session this evening at Harmony lodge hall, on West Berry street.

Mr. Shultz, of Root & Co.'s store, has been confined to his home on East Creighton avenue, for several days with an attack of grippe.

A few people ventured upon Reservoir lake yesterday and skated for a sort time. The ice was not good, but this seemed to be no discouragement to the skaters.

The official board and the congregation of the Wayne street M. E. church will meet tomorrow night, at which time the plans for the new edifice will be fully explained.

H S Patterson, of the firm of Golden & Patterson, was suddenly called to Geneva, N. Y., last night, by the serious illness of his uncle, J. D. Patterson, one of the leading business men of Geneva.

The Relief union during the month of January, 1896, has given fifty-one families groceries, thirty five clothing, furnished supplies for the payment of fifty men in the labor yard and thirty-five women in the work room.

A benefit entertainment will be given at Schroeder's hall this evening by the Sons of Veterans and soldiers' organizations for the benefit of a sick comrade of the G. A. R and his family. The admission will be twenty-five cents.

W. Q Judge, national president of the Theosophical society, who was in this city seriously sick for several weeks has recovered and left Saturday night for New York, accompanied by his wife. From New York they will proceed shortly to their home in Boston.

Saturday evening at his home on Madison street, Mr. Dan Marquardt was surprised, the occasion being his birthday. Cards and dancing were the features of the evening, and at 12 o'clock a three course supper was served. About twenty couples were present.

A wreck on the Big Four at Cambridge City, where that line crosses the Lake Erie and Western tracks, caused a delay of two hours in the arrival of the "Muncie" train from the south to-day. The Indianapolis mail comes on that train, and the delay was very annoying to the business men.

Rev. E E. Frame, the pastor of the South Congregational church, began last evening a series of Sunday evening lectures on the history, doctrines and polity of the Congregational denomination. Rev. Frame is a practical and interesting talker and handles his themes in an instructive manner.

A surprise party was given in honor of Henry Kraft, at his home, 271 West Washington. Those present were: Misses Clara Miller, Sophia Klepper, Carrie Merz, Mable Barlow, Christena Howard and Myrtle Barlow, Messrs. Joe Gruber, Ike Clippinger, Joe Ashley, Harry Alderman, Ed. O'Neil and Henry Kraft.

Mrs. Lillian Hollister, supreme commander of the ladies auxiliary of the Maccabees, is holding a school of instruction in degree and other work. This afternoon she met with the ladies of Nos 6 and 27 in the Fort Wayne I. O. O. F. hall, corner of Wayne and Calhoun streets, and this evening's session of the school will be held in Harmony hall, on West Berry street.

Prof. Wm. Miller, assisted by an orchestra and the church choir, rendered a most excellent musical program at the Plymouth Congregational church last evening. The individual special features of the program were "Pro Peccatis," by Mr. P. E Stouder; "Face at Portem," Miss Lee Long; "Inflamatus," Miss Long and Chorus; "Now, Heaven in Fullest Glory Shone," from the "Creation," Mr. C. J. Weber.

Owing to the great number of men and women who have been employed in either the work room or labor yard, the Relief union who furnishes the greater part of the supplies would like donations of clothing, men's, women's and children's. If possible, kindly send to the office, No. 144 Pritchard street, or notify by postal card, and they will be called for. They have an abundant supply of outside garments, unless of extra size.

Butter Down 1c.

Best No 1 Country Roll Butter, 15c lb.
Good Jar Butter, 9c lb.
Fresh Country Eggs, 16c dozen.
Best Sugar Cured Hams, 10c lb.
Best Sugar Cured Shoulders, 7c.
Best Michigan Potatoes, 50c bushel.
FAIR HOUSE.

Sol D. Bayless lodge No 390 F. and A. M. will confer the third degree tonight.

Pine Apples for Tuesday Morning.

Nice Large Ripe Pine Apples, direct from Havana, 25c each
Choice Jersey Cranberries, quart.
Spanish Malaga Grapes, lb.
Best Messina Oranges 20c dozen
California Navel Oranges, 35c dozen.
Extra Nice Lemons 25c dozen.
FAIR HOUSE.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. G. Schwartz, of Pine street, a bouncing baby boy.

A. J. Friend has gone east to buy goods and also to visit his old home in Maine.

There will be a meeting of Home lodge, No. 342 F. and A. M. to-morrow evening

Oliver L. Hartman was the leader of the Epworth league services at the Wayne street M. E church last night and spoke interestingly on the topic, "Personal Work."

Louise Keefer has taken out a permit to erect a three story business building on lot 99, old plat, to cost $2,000. This will replace the building now occupied by the Turkish bath rooms, on Clinton street.

At the meeting of the Fortnightly club this evening Mr. H. W. Slade will speak on the Silver question and Mr Jacobs, Judge Zollars, Dr. Porter and Mr. Freeman will participate in the discussion.

Mrs Katherine Geiger, an old lady over eighty six years old, was stricken with paralysis Saturday and is lying at the point of death. She is at the home of her brother, Peter Veith, No. 265 East Wayne street.

Invitations have been issued for the marriage of Miss Mattie R. Raub, youngest daughter of Mr. Gustave Raub, to Mr. Philemon B. Colerick, on Wednesday afternoon, at 1 o'clock, at the home of the bride.

A letter addressed to the K. of L. of this city states that if Ava C. Welch, who is supposed to be in this city, wants to see his father alive, he should hasten to Kenton. The letter is dated from that point February 2.

Dr. Kretsinger is sitting up nowadays and his family is greatly encouraged by his improved condition. THE SENTINEL voices the sentiments of the public when it expresses the hope that the genial doctor will soon be able to attend to his business as of old.

Mrs. Hoenfels gave a delightful card party at the Randall hotel last evening. Those present were Messrs and Mesdames Lemley, Julius Nathan, Sol. Rothschild, A. Hersch, Louis Wolf, M. Frank, Oppenheimer, Freiburger, Harry Jacobs, A. Morgenthiem, Sam Chasks, Mrs. Wolf, of Philadelphia, and Messrs. George Heller and Joe Abrons.

THE EMPIRE.

Ladies Free To-Night.

To night, as usual, ladies will be admitted free at the Empire by presenting the coupons printed in Sunday's and to day's papers. Coupons must be of this week's issue. The manager has decided not to admit children in arms; owing to the large crowds children and young girls will not be admitted on coupons.

The attraction this week will be the Casino Specialty company, a very high class vaudeville combination who have been drawing large houses in the east. The price of admission remains at 10 cents, no more, no less.

DON'T
Take Building and Loan Stock or Insurance before investigating
THE GERMAN-AMERICAN SAVINGS LIFE ASSOCIATION.

Payments monthly absolutely limited. No fees while out of employment, as time will be extended.

In case of death before twelve months double the amount you have paid in will be paid beneficiary; after twelve months the face value of the certificate.

For further information call at 12 E. Berry Street.

E. C. SMITH, Sec. and Treas.
E. W. HOOVER, Special Agent.

JUST RECEIVED FROM NEW YORK.

New line of novellies in Embroidery materials.

Tea Rose and American Beauty shades in Filo Silks, something entirely new.

New and choice designs in Stamped Linens.

A fresh assortment of Stamping Patterns

Lessons given in Art Embroidery at 25c an hour.

Orders taken for infants' outfits, fine hemstitching, etc., at very low prices.

Art Needlework Co.,
22 West Berry Street

Empire Theatre.
West Main Street. 3t1

WEEK COMMENCING FEB. 3.
Casino Specialty Co.

Admission Always 10 Cents,
No More--No Less.

Ladies Free Monday Night. Cut out Coupon and present at the door.

3 Empire Theatre. Ladies' Complimentary Ticket Good Monday Night Only.

S. Children in arms not admitted. Coupons not presented admitted on the coupons.

Four Remedies.

For Rose Bud Rheumatism have been used many years with full success, full directions for their use and there will be found to be of more value than any others for the cure claimed.

No. 1 will prevent colds, cure colds, headache, earache, sudden fevers and cures neuralgia.

No. 2 cures rheumatism, backache, sharp pains from the head and spine or ill effects of the grippe in 24 hours.

No. 3 cures all forms of kidney and bladder troubles and all diseases of the urinary organs.

No. 4 cures catarrh, dyspepsia, sour stomach, bad taste in mouth, bad breath, coated tongue, loss of appetite, biliousness, sick headache, dizziness, etc.

Sold everywhere, 1 day's treatment free at our store. Full size packages, 25 cents. Sold by Meyer Bros. and C. E. Wheeler only. Be sure to look for Rose Buds. Don't be deceived by substitutes.

Fresh Cut Flowers.

For Parties, Weddings, Receptions, Decorations, Funerals, etc.

Vesey's Greenhouses,
90 Thompson Ave. Telephone No. 231

MEATON BROS.
Postoffice Drug Store.

Dr. C. E. Meaton has sold his drug store to C. N. and Ben F. Meaton. The business will be continued at the same place, corner Berry and Clinton streets, under the personal management of Ben F. Meaton, assisted by skillful druggists. Handsome improvements will be made to this place of business and a complete stock will be carried. The new firm will be grateful to you for your patronage, which they will endeavor to merit.

Dr. Meaton has formed a co partnership in the general practice of medicine with Dr. C. H. English, formerly of Wells county, Indiana, and their offices are conveniently located in neatly fitted rooms in the rear of the drug store. They have office and residence telephones

Edmunds & Law have installed a telephone exchange at Ossian. Room 4, Schmitz Block. Telephone 262

Edmunds and Law employ electricians. 1tf

Finest chocolates in the city, at the Chicago bakery. 12tf

Here is a Bargain.

A heavy carved claw-foot oak extension table, polished top, with two center legs, in 6 foot, for $7.50; 8 foot, $9; 10 foot, $10.50, at Fosters. It's a bummer.

Edmunds & Law's first figures are their last figures 1tf

Use White Loaf Flour and your bread will always be moist.

You can depend upon Edmunds & Law. 1tf

Morning Musical Notice.

A complimentary recital will be tendered the members of the Fort Wayne club by the Morning Musical, on Tuesday evening February 4, in the club hall. Each member of the Morning Musical is entitled to an escort.

M. BELLE CLARK, Cor. Sec.

Edmunds & Law will do your electric work promptly. 1tf

ARRESTED FOR KIDNAPPING

A large supply of Groceries at our store last week at the following low prices: All teas just half price. Young Hyson, 18c to 35c lb; Gunpowder, 23c to 40c lb; Oolong, black tea, 25c to 45c lb; Uncolored Japan, 18c to 48c lb; Best Tea Dust, 8c lb, Imperial tea, 40c lb

Lion, Arbuckle and Jersey Coffee, 20c lb; bulk coffee reduced from 2c to 3c lb; nice, fresh, 1 lb Mackerels, only 8c apiece; best 8c Rice, now 4c lb, 10c Rice, now 7c lb; Vanilla Cream Syrup, 20c gallon, formerly sold at 30c; Corn meal, 4c sack; Buckwheat, 8c sack; all 5c soaps 3½c cake. Smoking and Chewing Tobacco reduced from 1c to 20c lb; Crackers, 3½ lb; Bulk Starch, 3½c lb; Oatmeal, 3c lb; Rolled Oats, 2c lb. Big reduction in all package Cereals. Best 12c Sugar Corn, 6c can; all other Canned Goods 1c to 3c per can cheaper. Queen Olives, 20c gallon; Sauer Kraut, 4c quart; Flour, 40c and 80c.

C. E. Noble & Co.,
256 Calhoun Street.

KEEPING IT UP.

OUR BIG COST SALE!

Of Men's and Boys' CLOTHING, CAPS at half price and

UNDERWEAR

At Cost. Will Continue until March 1st.

GOLDEN & PATTERSON,

Leaders of Fashion.
56 Calhoun Street. Opposite Court House.

Speaking tubes are not in it with the telephones sold by Edmunds & Law, Room 4, Schmitz Block. Telephone 262 25t10

A RARE CHANCE.

Commencing January 14, for ten days only we will sell all $40, $35, $30 suits, or any suit in the store, for $22.50.

CHAS. J. HOWES,
124 Calhoun St.,
13tf Lau Building.

Electric telephones are now sold outright. Edmunds & Law sell them, Room 4, Schmitz Block. Telephone 262 25t10

For Rent.

The double store room, 45 feet front, three stories high, on East Columbia street, occupied now by A. S. Johns & Co., saddlery; will be vacant in about a month; terms, $1 000 per year. Apply at the Fruit House. 31eod3t

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Commence the New Year on New Plans.

The $1 00 monthly plan known as the Tri-State Plan is the best plan in the state to borrow money on pay fast or slow. $1,000 for $10 per month.

Tri-State New Plan for Investors.

If you wish to save money take the A. A. stock. $1 per month. No membership fee. No fines. Call at office, cor. Berry and Court streets, for a maturity table, which will show you the value of your stock each month until maturity.

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RICHARDSON'S
Garment Cutting and Dressmaking School of Huntington, Ind.

Prof. J. L. Richardson, proprietor of Richardson's Garment Cutting and Dressmaking school, of Huntington, is in the city accompanied by a corps of assistants who will organize a garment cutting and dressmaking school at this place.

Mr. Richardson has a large school at Huntington, Logansport, Peru, Rochester, Wabash, Marion, Decatur, Warren, Elkhart and other points in this state. He comes highly recommended and will have a permanent school at 186 Montgomery street, hereafter, and will guarantee satisfaction to all pupils.

Call on
REV. MRS. ELIZA ROBINSON,
General Manager,
186 Montgomery Street, City.

Hanker Dancing Academy,
10 and 12 W. Wayne St.

Beginners Tuesday at 8 o'clock.
Advanced and Social, Wednesday at 8.
Special attention given to the waltz.
Private lessons any time not occupied by the classes. For further particulars call at 217 E. Wayne Street.

THE BOSTON STORE.

ALL WINTER UNDERWEAR

Is to be sold at cost to close.

We have opened up a large line of New

Spring Dress Goods

At our usual low prices.

New Styles in SPRING GINGHAMS AND PERCALES at our usual low prices.

Special low prices on MUSLINS and SHEETINGS.

William Hahn & Co.,
THE BOSTON STORE.

An 8 Per Cent. Investment.

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The Prepaid stock issued by The Indiana Farmers Savings & Loan Association, bears a guaranteed interest of 8 per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, secured by mortgages on improved real estate. The mortgages of this Association are deposited with The Indiana Trust Company of Indianapolis, in trust, for the security of the investors, thus making the investment an ABSOLUTELY safe one.

If you have any surplus money to invest, it will pay you to call and investigate our plans; we can satisfy the most critical.

No membership fee charged in this stock. A few good agents wanted.

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AT MORTON HALL,
Cor. Wayne and Calhoun Sts.

The teachers will meet any who desire to take Dancing, morning, afternoon or evening.

BEGINNERS—Monday and Wednesday evenings.
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JUVENILE CLASSES—Saturday afternoon.

Private classes may be formed and may have an evening to themselves, as we have full control of the hall.

Private Lessons at any time.

FARNAN DANCING ACADEMY.

Telephone Notice.

The Home Telephone Company composed entirely of Fort Wayne people, has contracted to supply its service to over 700 hundred people at rates 40 per cent. lower than a like service has ever been furnished in this city. We are still making contracts and request all persons to see us before becoming bound for any other service.

Each subscriber will have his own individual wire, insuring absolute privacy to all of his telephone messages.

The Home Telephone and Telegraph Co.

ALTERATION SALE!

Our Store Will be Remodeled!

The Ringing of the Hammer and the Hissing of the Saw to be Heard in a Few Days, and Revolution to Run Riot at

THE BELL CLOTHING STORE!

And the Sensational **ALTERATION SLAUGHTER SALE** Goes Into Effect

MONDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 3rd, 1896.

The contract for the Store Alteration has been let, and the work of tearing out the old Fixtures will begin March 1st. **WE MUST HAVE ROOM,** the workmen say, and the only way to give it to them is to sell the Goods and get them out of the House.

Come And Help Us, And By Doing so Help Yourself!

We have put Prices down on the Goods so as to make things move.

LISTEN!

Men's Overcoats that were $7, $8 and $9, ALTERATION PRICE, $3.00.

Men's Overcoats that were $10, $11 and $12, ALTERATION PRICE, $5.00.

Men's Overcoats that were $15, $18 and $20, ALTERATION PRICE, $7.50.

Men's Suits that were $8, $9, $10 and $12, ALTERATION PRICE, $5.00.

Men's Suits that were $14, $16, $18 and $20, ALTERATION PRICE, $7.50.

Children's Suits that were $2.50, $2.75 and $3.00 ALTERATION PRICE, $1.40.

Children's Suits that were $3.25, $3.50 and $4, ALTERATION PRICE, $1.98.

Children's Overcoats that were $1.50, $1.75 and $2, ALTERATION PRICE, 75c.

Children's Overcoats that were $2.25, $2.50 and $2.75, ALTERATION PRICE, $1.50.

MEN'S PANTS.

Men's Working Pants that were $1.50, ALTERATION PRICE, 92c.

Men's Worsted Pants that were $1.75, ALTERATION PRICE, 97c.

Men's Cassimere Pants that were $2.50, ALTERATION PRICE $1.24.

READ!

MEN'S HATS.

All there is left of our regular $1 Men's Soft Hats, ALTERATION PRICE, 48c.

All there is left of our regular $1 50 Fedoras, black and brown, ALTERATION PRICE, 88c.

All there is left of our regular $2, $2 50 and $3.00 Men's Fedora, Pasha or Stiff Hats, ALTERATION PRICE, $1 25.

UNDERWEAR.

All that's left of our regular 37c, 39c, 44c, 48c and 50c Shirts or Drawers, ALTERATION PRICE, 25c.

All that's left of our regular 68c, 74c, 88c and 92c Shirts or Drawers, ALTERATION PRICE, 50c.

GLOVES.

25c Men's all wool Scotch Gloves, including all our 50c ones, ALTERATION PRICE, 25c.

48c. Those heavy lined Dogskin Gloves, for dress and street wear, that we sold at 75c and 89c. ALTERATION PRICE, 48c.

98c. Here go all our finest wool lined Gloves in fine kid, colt skin, dog skin, etc; some of 'em sold as high as $2 50, others $1 50 and $2. ALTERATION PRICE, 98c.

Men's regular 45c Working Shirts, ALTERATION PRICE, 25c.

THE BELL,

S. H. EPSTEIN & BRO. 18 Calhoun Street. S. H. EPSTEIN & BRO.